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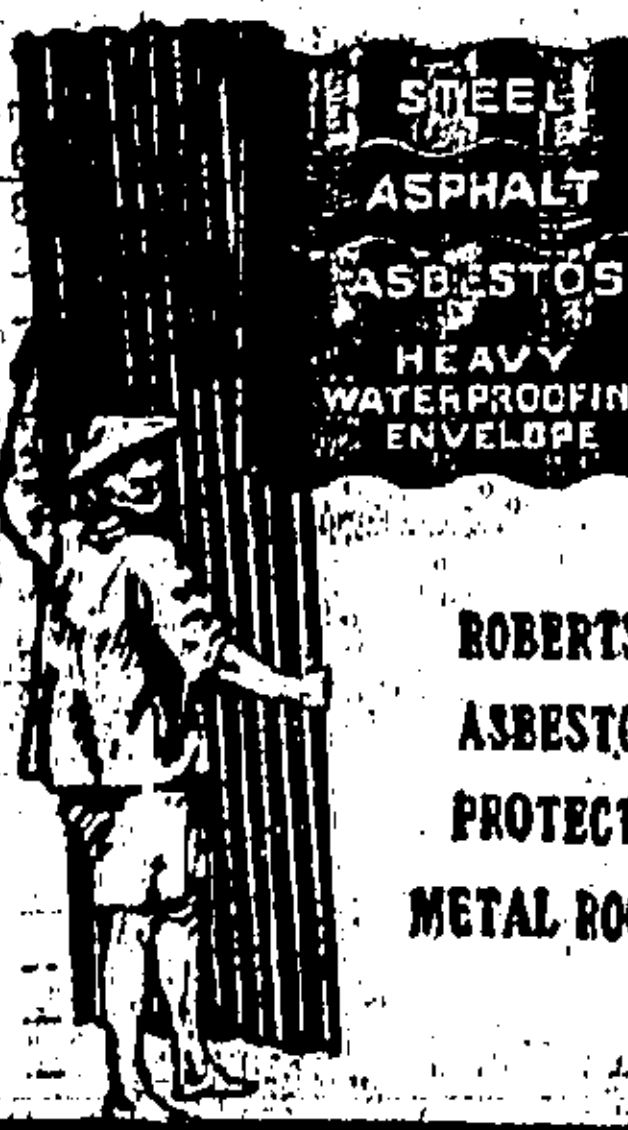
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FULL DAY'S RESULTS.

Sapper Officers' Good Luck in Sweep.

[By "PATROL"]

Overshadowing all else in the second day's races of the Jockey Club's annual meeting was the Hongkong Derby—the blue ribbon of the local turf.

If anything, the rain between yesterday and noon to-day had had the effect of making the going slightly heavier, but not to an extent which would "upset the form" already shown.

Although the favourite did not win, a great cheer went up when Sir Paul Chater added another Derby to his long list of successes. It was a splendid race with a ding-dong finish.

Racing honours were fairly evenly distributed, the most notable "upset" in the morning being the defeat of Grey Morn.

That magnetic attraction of Happy Valley for Hongkongites was in full evidence to-day. From upon tram added its quota of racing enthusiasts. Cars and combinations made the race course their goal. Motors of all shapes and sizes were in the procession.

To-day the crowd was nothing if not democratic. The number of purely Chinese sweeps on the Derby this year is legion. Everybody who had drawn anything, or who had a distant relative whose ticket was so many digits out, was down to see how things were going to pan out.

The Derby sweep on the course was won by the company office staff of the 40th Company, Royal Engineers, at Wellington Barracks. This first prize of \$8,402.80 was drawn by Lieut. A. J. L. Whyte for himself and nine others. I congratulate the lucky military men.

When the first race was about to start, the crowd seemed bigger than for the corresponding hour of the day before. This in spite of there being no sun peeping out from behind the clouds. Shortly after closing hours in town, the attendance increased rapidly. In the public enclosure there was always a stampede for the paying "tote" counter when a favourite came in.

With the early weather unpromising, ladies still came down in their best, hoping that Mr. Claxton's statistics would see them through. The members' enclosure was a very pretty scene, especially on the paddock boundary where the highest mixed with mafcos in their efforts to spot the winner.

H.E. the Governor (Sir Cecil Clementi), accompanied by Lady Clementi and Captain Steele, A.D.C., arrived after the Derby and congratulated Sir Paul Chater on his great victory.

Cash sweep results are not given with each race, but in tabulated form in the last column on this page.

Weather Forecast.
N.E. or variable winds; moderate; generally overcast, some fog later is the weather forecast for the twenty-four hours ending at noon to-morrow.

1.—The Causeway Bay Stakes.
Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. Weight for inches as per scale. For China ponies, that have arrived in Hongkong previous to July 1, 1925, and have not left the Colony and have run in at least 3 extra meetings in Hongkong in 1925, and subscription griffins of this meeting. Subscription griffins of his meeting allowed 7 lbs. (Jockey allowance). Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Messrs. Hall and Shenton's Saligia, 155 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 1

Mr. J. H. Taggart's Demon Boy, 152 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 2

Mrs. Hartford's Formidable, 146 lbs. (Capt. Hall) 3

Mr. Stanton's Beldorney Star, 147 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 4

Mr. Dryasdust's Golden Chrysanthemum, (late Uncle Chick), 150 lbs. (Mr. Buck) 0

Mr. John Peel's Jade River, 151 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 0

Many lengths, 2 lengths. Time: 2:09 4/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$5.10. Places: 1st \$5.30; 2nd \$6.40; 3rd \$16.

2.—The Exchange Plate.—Presented by the bankers and exchange brokers of Hongkong. Value \$1,000 to winner. Second to receive \$300 and third \$200. For China ponies. (W.I.) Ponies that have started in and not won a race of 1 mile or over at this meeting allowed 3 lbs. Griffins of this meeting allowed 3 lbs. Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. (About one mile, 165 yards).

Sir Paul's Sunbeam Dahlia, 150 lbs. (Mr. McBain) 1

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Grey Morn, 158 lbs. (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 2

Mr. Dynasty's Spotted Sand, 155 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 3

Mr. R. M. Austin's Grey Knight, 155 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 4

A neck, 4 lengths. Time: 2:18 2/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$9.50. Places: 1st \$5.50; 2nd \$5.30.

3.—The Hongkong Derby.—A sweepstakes of \$20 each with \$2,000 added. For China ponies, bona fide griffins of this meeting. First pony to receive 70 per cent, second 20 per cent, third 10 per cent, of the total amount. (W.I.) Ponies to be ridden by jockeys who have won at least 5 official flat races in Hongkong or China, or jockeys approved by the stewards. One Mile and a Half.

Sir Paul's Glorious Dahlia, 158 lbs. (Mr. McBain) 1

Messrs. Toeg and Priestley's Pretty Polly, 158 lbs. (Mr. Sokoloff) 2

Mr. Roda's Lady Love, 155 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 3

Mr. Dynasty's King of Troy, 158 lbs. (Mr. Dallas) 4

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Total Abstinence, 158 lbs. (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 0

Messrs. Toeg and Priestley's Saucy Sue, 158 lbs. (Mr. Dupree) 0

1/2 length, 6 lengths. Time: 3:12. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$15.50. Places: 1st \$6.50; 2nd \$6.20; 3rd \$11.90.

Race Described.
The mare did not win. Sir Paul's victory was very popular and when the pony was led in, he was greeted with prolonged applause.

Saucy Sue led with Glorious Dahlia second and Total Abstinence last. Pretty Polly was running third in the bunch. At the quarter mile post Saucy Sue got a clean lead with the Dahlia second and the other four running together. Glorious Dahlia had taken first place rounding the post, pursued by Pretty Polly and Saucy Sue. Lady Love had fallen back to last.

At the foot of the incline, Pretty Polly was gaining ground. At the rock, Pretty Polly had become first and King of Troy was making a big effort. Saucy Sue and Total Abstinence were out of the race after a mile. Pretty Polly led into the straight but Glorious Dahlia came on again with a second effort, catching the mare at the distance post. A splendid race ensued up the straight with Pretty Polly all out and very nearly running wide. Lady Love had come up on the outside at the last bend but had turned in on to the rails and finished third. King of Troy had shot his bolt but finished fourth. Saucy Sue (5th) and Total Abstinence (last) were far behind.

The "tote" was supported as follows:—

Winner:—Pretty Polly 312. Glorious Dahlia 580. Saucy Sue 317. Total Abstinence 139. King of Troy 103. Lady Love 55.

Places:—Pretty Polly 887. Glorious Dahlia 710. Saucy Sue 374. Total Abstinence 295. King of Troy 254. Lady Love 158.

4.—The Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup.—Value \$1,000. For subscription griffins of this meeting. (W.I.) To be won two years consecutively by ponies the bona fide property of the same owner or owners. Winner to receive \$500 and 70 per cent, second \$200 and 20 per cent, and third \$100 and 10 per cent, of the entrance fees until the Cup is finally won when the second pony will receive 75 per cent, and the third pony 25 per cent, of the entrance fees in addition to the place money. Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Quarter.

Mrs. R. J. Paterson's Dobbin, 158 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 1

Lady Chater's The Golden Phlegant, 155 lbs. (Mr. McBain) 2

Messrs. Hall and Shenton's The Gezer, 158 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 3

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Rechabite, 152 lbs. (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 4

Mrs. Bernard's Barley Grass, 152 lbs. (Mr. Dupree) 0

Mr. Sha's Shere Khan II, 152 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 0

1 length, 2 1/2 lengths. Time: 2:42 3/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$7.20. Places: 1st \$5.80; 2nd \$7.00; 3rd \$8.90.

5.—The Jockey Cup.—Winner \$500. Second \$200. Third \$100. A Cup will be presented to the winning jockey. For China ponies that have started in and have not won a race at this meeting and that have not at any time won three flat races, to be ridden by jockeys who have not won five flat races in Hongkong or China. (W.I.) Unplaced starters at this meeting allowed 5 lbs. Unplaced subscription griffins at this meeting allowed 10 lbs. Allowances not accumulative. Jockeys 2 lbs. extra for each flat race won. Entrance \$5. About 7 furlongs, 55 yards.

Mr. J. H. Taggart's Bundoran, 160 lbs. (Mr. Ralph) 1

Sir Paul's Mystic Dahlia, 157 lbs. (Capt. Hall) 2

Mr. Dryasdust's Saracen, 154 lbs. (Mr. Buck) 3

Mr. Stanton's Kwan Yee, 150 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 4

Mrs. Bernard's Bye Grass, 152 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 0

Sir Paul's Melody Dahlia, 152 lbs. (Mr. Sewell) 0

1/2 length, 6 lengths. Time: 1:55 4/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$64.80. Places: 1st \$7.70; 2nd \$5.90; 3rd \$5.70.

6.—The Great Southern Stakes.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China ponies. (W.I.) Winners at this meeting 5 lbs. of two or more races 7 lbs. extra. Griffins allowed 5 lbs. Subscription griffins of this meeting allowed 10 lbs. (J.A.) Entrance \$10. Six Furlongs.

Sir Paul's Sunrise Dahlia, 158 lbs. (Mr. McBain) 1

Messrs. Beith and Lemarchand's Fireworks, 150 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 2

Sir Paul's Daisy Dahlia, 157 lbs. (Mr. Moller) 3

Lady Chater's The Sand Piper, 149 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 4

Mr. L. Dunbar's Bay of Naples, 147 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 0

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Blotting Paper, 155 lbs. (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 0

Mrs. R. J. Paterson's The Regent, 158 lbs. (Mr. Dupree) 0

2 lengths, 1/4 length. Time: 1:31 1/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$16.40. Places: 1st \$4.20; 2nd \$4.55; 3rd \$5.30.

The Lusitano Cup.—Presented by the members of the Club Lusitano. For China ponies bona fide griffins of this meeting, with \$500 added. Second \$200. Third \$100. (W.I.) Subscription griffins of this season allowed 5 lbs. All winners 3 lbs. extra. Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Messrs. Beith and Lemarchand's Grey Steel, 155 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 1

Mrs. G. L. Bagram's Sunburst Rose, 152 lbs. (Mr. McBain) 2

Mr. Roda's Lady Love, 155 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 3

Mr. Stanton's Reardan, 158 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 4

Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton's Boston, 158 lbs. (Mr. Dallas) 0

Mr. J. H. Taggart's Craigavad, 158 lbs. (Mr. Brodie) 0

1 length, 1 1/2 lengths. Time: 2:07 3/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$27.90. Places: 1st \$5.10; 2nd \$5.10; 3rd \$5.10.

7.—The Challenge Cup.—Value one hundred guineas. For China ponies. (W.I.) To be won two years consecutively by a pony or ponies the bona fide property of the same owner or owners. Winner to receive \$750 and 70 per cent, second \$300 and 20 per cent, third \$150 and 10 per cent, of the entrance fees until the Cup is finally won when the second pony will receive 75 per cent, and the third pony 25 per cent, of the entrance fees in addition to the place money. Entrance \$10. One Mile and Three Quarters.

Mr. B. D. F. Beith's Local Option, 158 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 1

Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton's Tacoma, 158 lbs. (Mr. Dallas) 2

Mr. Seth's Duke of Frisco, 158 lbs. (Mr. Nemazeo) 3

Many lengths, 3 lengths. Time: 3:45 2/5. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$6.70. Places: 1st \$5.80.

8.—The Royal Navy Cup.—Presented by the Officers of H.M.'s Navy, with \$500 added to the winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. For subscription griffins of any season. (W.I.) Winners 7 lbs. extra. Unplaced runners at this meeting allowed 3 lbs. (J.A.) Entrance \$10. (About one mile, 165 yards).

Mr. R. M. Austin's Home Call, 155 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 1

Messrs. Hall and Stanton's The Gowk, 152 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 2

Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Loch Ramochie, 159 lbs. (Lt.-Com. Thompson) 3

Mr. E. L. Hosie's Cannynchance, 152 lbs. (Mr. Dallas) 4

Mr. R. M. Austin's District Call, 150 lbs. (Mr. Gordon) 0

Mr. A. H. Carroll's Elm Leaf, 150 lbs. (Mr. Reidy) 0

Mr. Dryasdust's Sagacity, 155 lbs. (Mr. Endall) 0

Mr. Dryasdust's Sagamore, 149 lbs. (Mr. Buck) 0

Mr. Dynasty's King's Favourite, 152 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 0

Mrs. Hartford's Racehorse, 155 lbs. (Mr. Dupree) 0

Mr. Henry Humphreys's Black Mouse, 150 lbs. (Mr. Sugden) 0

Mr. Seth's Mistaken Identity, 155 lbs. (Mr. Nemazeo) 0

Mr. Stanton's Blue Monday, 147 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 0

Mr. Strike's Tutix, 150 lbs. (Mr. Cobbold) 0

Mr. Way Young's Inkpot, 156 lbs. (Mr. Doyle) 0

2 1/2 lengths, 3 lengths. Time: 2:22. Pari-mutuel: Winner \$13. Places: 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$5.30; 3rd \$5.10.

(Continued on Page 7.)

A Chinese boatwoman who carried three passengers to Lyuenmun yesterday morning was robbed of her jewellery valued at \$35. The men disappeared on the hillside.

As races 6 and 11 are handicapped, and No. 7 is for post entries, punters must choose for themselves, following the general form if there is not too much rain in the intervening hours.

HAVE YOU WON?

To-day's Cash Sweeps At A Glance.

ALL THE LUCKY NUMBERS.

For the convenience of those who are particularly interested in the cash sweeps at the race course, the results are given here in tabulated form:

Race I.
No. 377 \$1,121.40
" 146 320.40
" 293 180.20
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 261, 105, 35.

Race II.
No. 234 \$1,642.20
" 455 459.20
" 451 234.60
Unplaced \$50:—No. 338.

Race III.
No. 297 \$8,402.80
" 1031 2,490.80
" 240 1,200.40
Unplaced \$100 each:—Nos. 474, 1107, 436.

Race IV.
No. 711 \$2,331
" 500 666
" 379 333
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 208, 404, 336.

Race V.
No. 1515 \$4,554.20
" 295 1,301.20
" 1078 650.60
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 37, 302, 1660.

Race VI.
No. 218 \$4,340
" 1,386 1,240
" 1132 620
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 1533, 1520, 236, 653.

Race VII.
No. 1502 \$4,321.80
" 465 1,234.80
" 1139 617.40
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 621, 240, 1378.

Race VIII.
No. 599 \$3,992.80
" 251 1,140.80
" 1314 570.40

Race IX.
No. 378 \$3,511.20
" 1000 1,003.20
" 1338 501.60
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 1053, 1216, 382, 196, 603, 940, 241, 136, 1247, 1374, 166, 62.

Race X.
No. 722 \$1,913.40
" 790 1,913.40
" 170 425.20
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 142, 181.

Race XI.
No. 114 \$2,739.80
" 584 732.80
" 913 391.40
Unplaced \$50 each:—Nos. 781, 437, 104, 357, 661.

MY TIPS.

SELECTIONS FOR THE THIRD DAY.

WHAT RACE FORM TELLS.

[By "PATROL"]

Tuesday, 4.15 p.m.

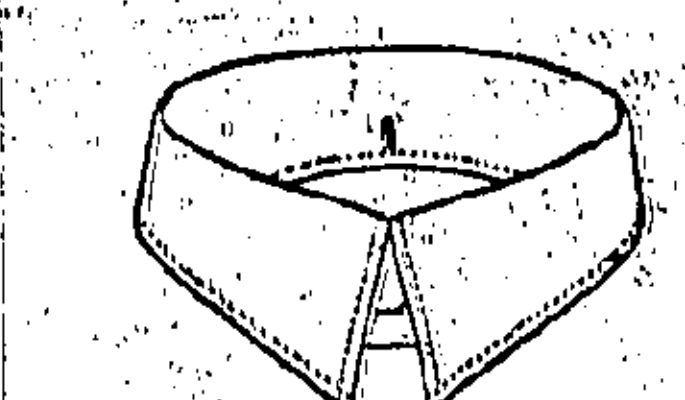
As the majority of owners are not deciding anything till tomorrow morning, I must ask readers to bear in mind that the following "tips" are subject to there being no radical change in starters.

The Jardine stables are still in great form and the Chater string, except the subs, are in winning vein. Those who accepted my advice about Grey Steel will consider themselves lucky to get \$27.90. The same thing may happen again tomorrow.

Race 1:—*Grey Steel.
Race 2:—Total Abstinence 1. Dobbin 2.
Race 3:—Sunbeam Dahlia 1. Spotted Sand 2. Grey Knight 3.
Race 4:—Grey Morn.
Race 5:—King of Troy (in absence of Lady Love) 4. Fireworks (place).
Race 6:—Local Option 1. Glorious Dahlia 2. Pretty Polly 3. Saligia 4.
Race 7:—Sentinel.
Race 10:—The Gowk (if he has not already won) or The Sand Piper.

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TWELVE DIVORCES.

13 TIMES BRIDE IN 30 YEARS.

"HOPING FOR THE BEST."

In the American city of St. Louis, Missouri, there is a little woman of forty-four whose record must be taken into account by any conscientious student of the marriage problem. She recently married for the thirteenth time, after having divorced twelve husbands.

Her first husband, whom she married when she was fourteen, used to knock her about, so Mrs. Cora Truxler, as she then was, divorced him three years later.

Her second husband proved to be a thief, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith divorced him.

Her third husband, a restaurant proprietor, lost all his money from gambling and knocked her down one day, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes divorced him.

Her fourth husband made girlfriends to whom his wife objected, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher divorced him.

Her fifth husband refused to work, came home drunk one night and knocked her about, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow divorced him.

Her sixth husband lasted four years, and was a very satisfactory sort of mate until he took to chasing her daughter out of the house with a shotgun, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney divorced him.

Her seventh husband, a widower with two young children, made investments of which she did not approve, and struck her when she raised objections, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney Porter divorced him.

Her eighth husband was the most satisfactory of all the thirteen whom she has married so far, she declares. But as she had married him only a few months after her previous divorce, and as her late husband, Mr. Porter, found that a local State law forbade a "remarriage" so soon, and threatened to have proceedings taken against the couple, Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney Porter Lilley heaved a weary sigh at the matrimonial vicissitudes of life, and divorced him (for the present).

Her ninth husband drank and stayed out at night, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney Porter Lilley Swanson divorced him.

Her tenth husband was again Mr. Lilley, who had reappeared, but presently he took to drink, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney Porter Lilley Swanson Lilley divorced him.

Her eleventh husband was once more Mr. Lilley, who was given another chance to make good, but he became prone to spells of moroseness and irritability, that culminated in his giving his wife a couple of black eyes, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney Porter Lilley Swanson Lilley divorced him.

Her twelfth husband, whom she married in June, made women friends to whom she objected, so Mrs. Cora Truxler Smith Barnes Butcher Crow Whitney Porter Lilley Swanson Lilley Yates divorced him.

Now, to make a baker's dozen, she has married a Mr. Henry La Forge, and hopes for the best.

No Buttery.

Though quite modest about her undeniably encyclopedic knowledge of husbands, this remarkable little woman has divulged to friends some pungent opinions about men and matrimony. She is no social butterfly, moving in rich and idle circles. All her husbands have been of the small tradesman class.

She has come to the conclusion that marrying women are born, not made; either they attract lovers, or they do not, irrespective of looks, propinquity, or whether or no they set their caps at a man. She says that she has not consciously exercised any wiles in attracting her crowd of husbands; they gravitated toward her quite as naturally as splinters of steel to a magnet, though she was not as pretty as many another of their women and girl friends.

Mrs. La Forge, speaking from her own experience, does not think that any one type of man can be claimed to exercise a predominant fascination over women. Every type of man, she has found, is lacking in some aspects of allure, but possessed of others, each potent in its own way.

"Men Decipher," the helpless man, the man of noble religious principles, the unreformed but perhaps reformable rake, the man of

POLITE LETTERS.

DUKE OF ARGYLL AND MINSTER.

SPIRITED CONTROVERSY.

A spirited controversy between the Duke of Argyll and the Rev. J. Scouler Thomson, minister of Inverchalain, Argyll, is revealed in letters which have been sent to the press, says the "Manchester Guardian." The origin of the correspondence was a discussion at Dunoon Presbytery regarding a missing font from Cairndow Church, which was reported to be in the Episcopal Church of Inveraray. The Duke of Argyll wrote to the press denying this story, and said the font had been found lying in his shrubbery, and had belonged to the old parish church of Kilmallow, Inveraray. The minister of Inverchalain, who had been mentioned in that communication, replied.

In the course of a letter to Mr. Thomson the Duke states:—"On my return from France I found that in my absence you had found time from your normal ministerial functions to busy yourself and to meddle not only in the supposed affairs of the parish of Kinlochgilg, Lochgilghead, and even in that of Kilmallow, which latter parish does not even lie in the Presbytery whose meetings you enriched with your eloquence." The Duke takes the minister to task for a reference to an episcopal missionary to the "aborigines of Inveraray," which showed, he declared, that curious ill-breeding of which the old type of Highland minister would never have been guilty.

Quarrelsome Presbyterians.

The Duke concludes:—"The inane quarrelsomeness of Presbyterians in all places where they have settled is notorious and remarkable. It will be therefore a painful surprise to you to know that I intend to have religious peace throughout the marches of my lordship of Cowall. Between this and Easter I shall write setting you certain penances to do."

Mr. Thomson dated his letter of reply "On or about the anniversary of the Lamont murders." In reference to a notorious massacre of over a hundred Lamonts by members of the Clan Campbell, of which the Duke is chieftain, Mr. Thomson says:—"Long and silently have I waited for the imposition of penances befitting my misdemeanours; and I must now presume that your Grace, following illustrious family precedent, has postponed valour to discretion. At this point let me say that hereafter I shall for convenience presume to address your Grace as an ordinary being, than which no higher compliment could be offered anyone."

The Everlasting Feud.

Further on in his letter the minister states:—"There are other points which I must pass. It were a sorrowful task to explain these to one to whom Providence has not granted a humorous mind. It may be enough to say regretfully that I do not feel tempted to take you, Grace as a mentor either in composition or in manners."

Concluding, he says:—"Gone are the days when it was reckoned an honour to be 'kicked' by an earl, cursed by a count, and maltreated by a marquis. Gone, too, happily, are the days when a Campbell sheriff, a Campbell jury, and a Campbell prosecutor, a Campbell chaplain, and a Campbell hangman in a Campbell court could further the policy and glut the vengeance of a Campbell chieftain, when the gallows seldom lacked a Lamont, a Macdonald, a MacDougall, or a Maclean, when wild clansmen set out on a raid of murder and rapine while the cautious chief established a careful alibi—a cunning expedient which history narrates did not avail one MacCallain [MacCallain Mor is the Gaelic cognomen of the Dukes of Argyll] at least on the day of his judgment."

strong character in a weak body, and the man of weak character in a strong body—each has his special sort of appeal. But though a woman falls in love with a number of men with sufficient intensity to marry each of them, it does not follow that, reviewing them in retrospect, she loves them all equally well after marriage.

Nor will Mrs. La Forge grant that woman alone is a great deceiver. Man is a greater, she states. Courtship days yield but treacherous clues to how he will behave after marriage, for though he may have been regarded as a model of honesty, sobriety, industry and thoughtful consideration by all his friends and relatives, he may prove quite the reverse, after the honeymoon; and, though hardly any one may say a good word for him to his prospective bride, he may turn out a thoroughly attractive and attentive mate.

"The world is right," she declares. "Marriage is a lottery."

WAR PAINTINGS.

ARTIST AT SURRENDER OF GERMAN FLEET.

DRESSED AS OFFICER.

The story of how Sir John Lavery, R.A., was dressed in the uniform of a naval officer so that he might join Admiral of the Fleet Earl Beatty and other officers in the fore cabin of the "Queen Elizabeth" on the occasion of the surrender of the German naval officers at Scapa Flow, has been told.

On the morning of November 16, 1918, Earl Beatty read the terms of surrender to the German officers who had assembled in the "Queen Elizabeth" at Rosyth, and Sir John Lavery, who appeared as one of the Earl Beatty's staff, was able to bring away sufficient details to enable him to paint a large picture giving a faithful representation of an historical event.

During hostilities artists—some of the most celebrated and others who were on the road to fame—joined the "Colours" in the military sense, and later, at the request of the authorities, turned to the brush and palette and the colours of the painter in order pictorially to hand down to posterity some of the more thrilling incidents of the campaign.

One condition only was imposed on the artists who left the fighting line. It was that they should obtain the details for their pictures on the spot. Hence the comprehensive collection of oil paintings, water colours, prints, and other works of art representing all schools of artistic effort, including the Cubist, and all giving a faithful delineation of what actually happened "in the field"—all expressing some outstanding incident of the innumerable heroic actions of which the campaign was so fruitful.

Recent additions to the war relics at the War Museum (where these pictures are to be seen) include the uniform of a Lieutenant in the Russian Artillery (pre-Bolshevik), some flags (intended to be replicas of the Union Jack) secretly made by residents of Lille during the German occupation, and presented to General Sir William Birdwood, who commanded the Division which relieved Lille, the first British sword to draw blood in the war on August 22, 1914, which is near the gun of the Royal Artillery (E. Battery) which fired the first shell. There is also a reaping hook made out of a German bayonet.

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February 27.
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"My wife is very economical. Her riding skirt was made from a dress she had worn for several years."

"In other words, she wore it until it became a habit."

HONGKONG TIDE.

The tide-table given below has been obtained by aid of the tide-predicting Machine, which includes 40 components for the better prediction of tides, from the result of the analysis of the tidal observations, taken at the Kaulung tidal observatory under the direction of Dr. Doberck during the years 1887, 1888, and 1889.

The times and heights are given for Kaulung; but they may be used for the Victoria Naval yard and Aberdeen, the differences being very small.

The times of high and low water must not be considered to coincide with the times of slack-water and changes of current, the two phenomena being quite distinct.

February 28 to March 4, 1926.

Date	High Water		Lower Water	
	Standard Time	Height in Feet	Standard Time	Height in Feet
Feb. 28	2:30	5.4	8:15	1.7
Mar. 1	3:15	5.9	7:30	2.1
Mar. 2	4:00	6.4	6:45	2.5
Mar. 3	4:45	6.9	6:00	2.9
Mar. 4	5:30	7.4	5:15	3.3
Mar. 5	6:15	7.9	4:30	3.7
Mar. 6	7:00	8.4	3:45	4.1
Mar. 7	7:45	8.9	3:00	4.5
Mar. 8	8:30	9.4	2:15	4.9
Mar. 9	9:15	9.9	1:30	5.3
Mar. 10	10:00	10.4	0:45	5.7
Mar. 11	10:45	10.9	0:00	6.1
Mar. 12	11:30	11.4	11:15	6.5
Mar. 13	12:15	11.9	10:30	6.9
Mar. 14	1:00	12.4	9:45	7.3
Mar. 15	1:45	12.9	9:00	7.7

NOTICES.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1926.

March 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th.

The Stewards request the pleasure of the presence of the Ladies at the Races.

Hongkong, February 12, 1926.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1926.

March 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th.

Members have the privilege of introducing 2 non-members to the Members' Enclosure.

A limited number of tickets are available and may be obtained from Messrs. Linstead & Davis, Alexandra Bldgs. on or before SATURDAY, February 27th, 1926. Price \$10 per day or \$30 for the Meeting.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS,

Treasurers.

Hongkong, February 12, 1926.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1926.

March 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th.

Tickets of Admission to the Public Enclosure may be obtained from Messrs. Kelly & Walsh or at the Gate. Price \$5 per day. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform \$1 per day. No one admitted without a Ticket to be shown to the Ticket Inspector at the Gate.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS,

Treasurers.

Hongkong, February 12, 1926.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1926.

March 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th.

Passes for Servants will be issued on application to Messrs. Linstead & Davis, Alexandra Bldgs. No Servants will be allowed inside the Enclosure of the Race Course during Race Days WITHOUT TICKETS.

These Tickets are only available for Servants while in attendance on their employers or when on duty at the various stands.

Any persons found loitering about with Servants' Passes in their possession will forfeit them and holders will be removed from the Enclosures.

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hongkong, February 12, 1926.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1926.

March 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 6th.

Members' Badges of Admission are now ready, and may be obtained by those Members, who have not already received them, from Messrs. Linstead and Davis, Alexandra Bldgs.

Members are reminded that these Badges will also admit them to all the Extra Race Meetings this year.

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hongkong, February 12, 1926.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING 1926.

SEVENTH RACE—THIRD DAY—THE UNITED SERVICES CUP.

POST Entries will be accepted for this Race.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN

Secretary.

Hongkong, February 23, 1926.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

RACE MEETING.

ON MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd March, all Departments will be CLOSED at 1 P.M.

On these days The Hongkong Dispensary will be opened for the purpose of dispensing prescriptions from 6 P.M. to 7.30 P.M.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1926.

RACE HOLIDAYS.

THE Exchange Banks will open for the transaction of Public Business at 9.30 a.m. on MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 1st, 2nd and 3rd instant, and close at 12 Noon.

Hongkong, March 1, 1926.

NOTICES.

UNION WATERBOAT CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held in the Office of Messrs. Dodwell and Company, Limited, on THURSDAY, the 4th March, 1926, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1925.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 25th February to 4th March, 1926, both dates inclusive.

DODWELL & CO., LTD., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 18, 1926.

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held at the Company's Office, P. and O. Building, on FRIDAY, 12th March, 1926, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December 1925, and electing Directors and Auditor.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 1st March to 12th March, 1926, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD. Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd February, 1926.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

THE THIRTY SEVENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Office of the Company St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY 17th March, 1926, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December 1925, and declaring a Dividend.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY 3rd March 1926, until WEDNESDAY 17th March 1926, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 23, 1926.

THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER COMPANY, (1918) LIMITED.

WITH reference to the Notice to the Shareholders of this Company dated 20th December, 1925, whereby the Final Call of \$1.00 per share on the New Shares was made payable on 4th March, 1926, instead of 4th January, 1926, the General Managers and Consulting Committee have decided, in view of the conditions prevailing at present, to further extend the time for payment of this Call.

Notice is accordingly hereby given that the date for payment of the Final Call is postponed to 4th June, 1926, and that the Form of Bankers' Receipt already sent to Shareholders can be used as though the date named therein were the 4th June, 1926.

For THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO., (1918) LTD.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 23, 1926.

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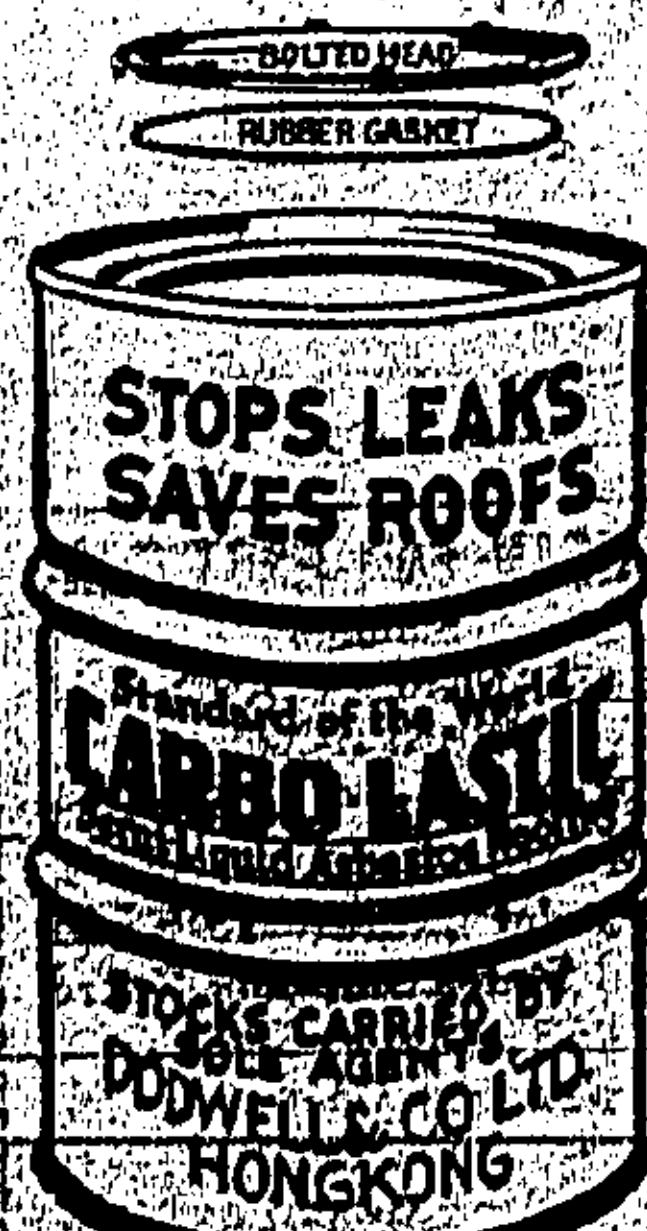
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ALPS MARU ... Tuesday, 19th March
RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTO BERNARDINO, Via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Suez and Port Said.
HAWAII MARU ... Thursday, 8th April
SANTO BERNARDINO MARU ... Wednesday, 3rd March
SANTO BERNARDINO MARU ... Middle of March
CALCUTTA, Via Singapore and Rangoon.
VICTORIA, S.S. "ALMA" ... Friday, 12th March
NEW YORK, Via Japan, San Francisco and Seattle.
ARIZONA MARU (From Singapore) ... Saturday, 27th March
HAWAII MARU ... Thursday, 4th March at 10 a.m.
AMARUSA MARU ... Tuesday, 16th March
JAPAN PORTS
AMOR MARU ... Wednesday, 3rd March
TAIKWA MARU ... Sunday, 7th March at 11 a.m.
YAKAO MARU ... Thursday, 11th March, at 8 a.m.
YAKAO MARU ... Sunday, 28th March
SANTO BERNARDINO MARU ... Beginning of March
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Felix Cohen, editor of the City College Campus in New York, has gone to war against compulsory military training for himself and fellow students at the institution.

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MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The B. I. s.s. "Talamba" will

leave Amoy for this port to-day

at p.m. and is due here to-morrow

at p.m.

The C.P.R. s.s. "Empress of

Asia" left Manila yesterday at 10

p.m. and is due at Hongkong to-

morrow at 10 a.m.

The P. & O. s.s. "Mores" left

Singapore for this port on Feb. 28

at 9 a.m. with the outward English

Mails, and is due here on Mar. 4

at about 4 p.m.

A pig recently swallowed a dia-

mond ring that fell into its

trough. This should teach the

owner to wear pearls next time.

"Yes, I got \$80 a week," said

the saleslady in the millinery es-

tablishment.

"How do you manage to com-

mand so large a salary?" asked

this country school teacher.

"I know hats."

"Dear me! For \$50 a month I

have to know everything!"

"Jenkins is such a bore. Some-

times he buttonholes me for half

an hour with an uninteresting in-

cident!"

"At a time when you are busy,

too, I suppose."

"Not exactly, but frequently

when I have something really

good to tell him."

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"KASHMIR"	8,985	13th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"HONGKONG"	8,985	18th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,985	23rd Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"HONGKONG"	8,985	28th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,985	31st Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"HONGKONG"	8,985	4th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,985	9th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"HONGKONG"	8,985	14th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"HONGKONG"	8,985	24th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"KASHMIR"	8,985	29th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"KASHMIR"	8,985	9th May	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"KASHMIR"	8,985	29th May	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
"HONGKONG"	8,985	4th Jun.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"SHIRAZ"	7,341	14th Mar.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
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"ARABIA"	6,000	15th Mar.	Moji, Kobe and Yokohama
"KALYAN"	9,144	18th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"DEVANHA"	8,155	20th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"DELT"	8,067	24th Mar.	Shanghai and Kobe
"NAGINA"	6,661	24th Mar.	Kobe
"MAEDONIA"	11,089	28th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"ST. ALBANS"	4,900	10th Apr.	Moji, Kobe and Yokohama
"KASHMIR"	8,985	12th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"RYBER"	8,174	16th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"TANDA"	8,985	18th Apr.	Moji, Kobe and Yokohama
"MALWA"	10,941	21st Apr.	Shanghai
"MANTUA"	10,901	25th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"KALYAN"	9,144	28th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"DEVANHA"	8,155	31st Apr.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"DELT"	8,067	4th May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"KASHMIR"	8,985	7th May	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"MAEDONIA"	11,089	10th May	Shanghai only
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DISABILITIES.

The Colonial Government invariably reflects Home legislation in its various Ordinances. In this way we get a replica of Home thought and action. There is not necessarily one line of action for institutions and people at Home, and another for the different possessions of the Empire. Whilst punishment was enacted for the late enemies of the crown—and extended to exclude certain hitherto enjoyed privileges in the various "outposts" of Empire—the period of such punishment is drawing to a close. The Treaty of Versailles has been adhered to, Germany has had to pay and has had her possessions taken from her, and seen part of her own country in occupation of foreign troops. In Hongkong, exclusion has been rigidly enforced, banks and other businesses also coming under an exclusion ban. All this is to be abolished. The Locarno spirit is not to be confined only to Europe, but to the world—certainly to the Crown colonies of the Empire. The prosperity of Hongkong has been spread over numerous agencies. A free port has been one and free trading has been another. It would be very nice to have nothing, but British products entering the port. This is impossible. Instead we have the representatives of many nationalities carrying on their "lawful occasions"—promoting the trade and commerce of their own countries and incidentally helping not a little in the material progress of the Colony. Having penalised a country for its sins, it is only right that opportunities should be given that country to "foot the bill." The Colonial Government proposes to repeal two enactments directed against former enemy aliens—restrictions on banking business and the prohibition against the employment of former enemy aliens on British ships registered in the Colony.

On the former there can possibly be no exception taken to a very reasonable proposal. Controversy may very well arise on the latter, and we content ourselves here, for the time being with the view that a correct proposal would be that on British ships registered in the Colony none but British officers should be engaged.

A JUNK'S FATE.

ASCERTAINED AFTER A MONTH.

A GRIM STORY.

The fate of a junk which left Yau-mat of January 27, and had not since been heard of has now been ascertained.

From a relative of the master the police have been informed that the junk, which bore a cargo of tobacco leaves, was pirated when in Chinese waters, the master and one passenger being killed, the master's wife and daughter being wounded, the junk taken possession of and other passengers kidnapped.

The manner in which the police were communicated with was in rather a roundabout manner. A young Chinese woman, of No. 110, Woo Sung Street, Yau-mat, received a letter addressed to her father, a relative of the master, giving the information. She opened it as her father was away and on the advice of friends reported it to the local police as the junk was registered here.

The incidents in question are reported to have taken place near Man Kwing Sha, in the Sun Tak district.

"IF"

LAST NIGHT'S DRESS REHEARSAL.

The present A.D.C. season should prove one of the most successful in its long history. "If" on last night's successful dress rehearsal reveals itself as a colourful phantasm, in which there is humour, tragedy and music. Opinion will be unanimous that the producer, Lt. Commander G. F. Hole, has every reason to be proud of his efforts, the results of which are self-evident. Whilst the cast numbers some old favourites, there are new comers with abundant acting talent. The singing and dancing are alike superb, and the same can conscientiously be said of the dresses and scenery.

Wife: "I'm quite ready now dear."
Hubby: "Well, you must wait until I shave again."

An Englishman and his wife, motoring to Lymington, stopped to ask the way.

A grizzled countryman said, "Ten miles straight ahead."

Having covered the distance, the couple stopped and repeated the question to another man. He replied, "Ten miles on down the road."

"Well, thank goodness," said the wife as they drove on, "we're heading out now."

OFFENSIVE WORDS.

BRITISH SUBJECTS' RISKS IN ITALY.

QUESTION IN THE COMMONS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1. Questioned regarding the case of William Ellison, Sir Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said that Ellison had lodged an appeal. The British Consul was watching the case.

Sir A. Chamberlain added that the time for British Government intervention had not arrived—if ever it did arrive.

[In the House of Commons, on February 25, the Labour M.P., Mr. T. Cape (Workington, Cumberland), asked whether the Foreign Under-Secretary was aware that Mr. William Ellison, a British subject employed in the chemical industry, had been sentenced in Florence to five months' imprisonment and a fine of £15 on a charge of using offensive words about Signor Mussolini; whether Mr. Ellison was defended by counsel; and whether representations to mitigate the sentence could be made to the Italian authorities, seeing that this was the first case since the passing of the new Italian Act. The Conservative M.P., Capt. H. Dixon, said that Mr. Ellison was a reputable constituent of his. Mr. Locker-Lampson replied that his information was confined to Press accounts, but the Ambassador at Rome had been instructed to furnish a report.]

CAPE FLIGHT.

FIRST LAP BY ROYAL AIR FORCE.

ARRIVAL AT ASSOUAN.

(Reuter's Service.)

Cairo, March 1.

The first stage in the 11,000 miles flight by the Royal Air Force to Cape Town, under the leadership of Wing Commander Pulford, comprising five officers and two mechanics, has been completed by their arrival at Assuit from Heliopolis in four Fairley seaplanes fitted with undercarriages instead of floats, each of which has a Napier Lion 450 h.p. engine.

The flight is following the route mapped out by the Royal Air Force at the end of the war, when dense bush and tropical jungles were cleared, and aerodromes were established 200 miles apart. The trip and return are expected to occupy ten weeks. There will be no attempts at record breaking.

At Assouan.

Cairo, later. The Royal Air Force fliers have arrived at Assouan. One machine was apparently slightly damaged on landing.

COBHAM'S FLIGHT.

TRIP DELAYED BY TROPICAL RAINS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Capetown, March 1.

Mr. Alan Cobham has reached Mdola (Rhodesia). He is delaying his departure from Mdola owing to tropical rains.

IN FIVE DAYS.

FLIGHT FROM KARACHI TO BRITAIN.

(Reuter's Service.)

Karachi, March 1.

Flight Lieut. Oliver and Flying Officer Brooks have departed in an attempt to fly to England in five days.

FELIX.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, March 1.

The two British airmen, Flight Lieutenant Oliver and Flying Officer Brooks, who left Karachi in India at two o'clock this morning on a flight to London, hope to reach the Croydon Aerodrome in five days and thus establish a record. Their aeroplane bears the name of Felix.

Little Johnny (at concert):

"What's that man shaking his stick at her for?"

Mother: "Sh-h! He's not shaking his stick at her."

Johnny (still unconvinced): "Then what is she hollering at for?"

SHREDS AND PATCHES.

The advent of Hongkong's annual races brings to mind Tattersall's Committee and an idea as to how it works may not be out of place. This is the highest authority on betting disputes in the racing world, and its decisions are accepted without question. The chairman is Lord Dalmeny, who is supported by half a dozen other men of knowledge and reputation, including a leading bookmaker. They sit at one end of a large room, partitioned off from the portion where the parties to the various cases wait their turn. The variety of types reminds one of a Dickens illustration. Case by case, the parties are called in and given chairs. The plaintiff states his case. The defendant answers it, and the chairman and other members of the committee put questions to them. Then the disputants are ushered out. A minute or so later they go in again, and the chairman says, "We find plaintiff is entitled—," or vice versa, and the matter is at an end.

It was a good idea of Old Songs. Mr. Harold Scott, to put together an "English Song Book" (10s. 6d.), containing the most genuinely popular songs of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, with the music on the opposite page. Every one acquainted with Mr. Scott's personal repertoire will realise that his choice is catholic, including anything from "Lillibulero" to "She Does the Fandango All Over the Place."

A favourite in the book, leaving out of account certain familiar masterpieces, is the beautiful song of which the chorus runs as follows:—

Please sell no more drink to my father,
It makes him so strange and so wild.
Heed the prayer of my heart-broken mother,
And pity the poor drunkard's child.

"Don't Go Out To-night, Dear Father," is another gem of a similar type. In it Little Willie en-

treats his father not to leave his dying mother for the society of his friends in the tavern, and the pathetic refrain is:—

Don't go out to-night, dear father,
Think, oh think how sad 'twill be
When the angels come to take her
Papa won't be there to see.

But where are such immortal ballads as "The Old Kent Road," played as the tune for the coster dance at Miss D. O'Keefe's recent exhibition of dancing and to come back to fathers. "When Father Laid the Carpet on the Stairs?" Perhaps Mr. Scott has been faced with copyright difficulties, but such omissions as these gravely impair the quality of his otherwise delightful volume.

A writer to a Home Seals and paper contributes the following which proves that music is capable of doing more than "soothe the savage breast (or is it beast?)"

Some friends and I had a curious experience with seals the other day, while we were going in a motor-boat down a small sea-lock on the west coast of Inverness-shire.

Remembering a story told by Mrs. Kennedy-Fraser of an incident which befell her in the Hebrides, we stopped the boat, and one of our party stood up and sang that old Hebridean song, which Mrs. Kennedy-Fraser has given to the public under the title of "The Seal Woman's Sea-Joy."

The effect was amazing. Instead of diving or moving away, the seals immediately showed the keenest interest. They barked in chorus, and one of them began to approach the boat. Thereupon, we all began to sing "seal motifs." Greatly excited, the seal swam so close to our boat that we could almost have touched it with the boat-hook. He then circled round us with frequent barks, gazing at us the whole time as if fascinated, until we stopped singing and brought him to a sense of his peril by re-starting the engine.

AN EXILE'S SONG.

Everyone knows the lines about

"The lone shieling on the misty

Boat Song" which contains them

is one of those few lyrics which

have become part of the common

feeling of the British race all the

world round. Men and women

who have no Highland blood or

loyalty, who never think of them-

selves as exiles, find the verse

throbs and haunts them. Yet no-

body knows who wrote it. It

has been ascribed more or less

wildly to half a dozen authors,

some capable of poetry, some not.

New Lord Francis Hervey has

written, in a slender volume pub-

lished by Mr. John Murray, an

ingenious thesis to prove that it

was Walter Scott's. The certain-

facts of its origin are few. It was

published in "Blackwood's Maga-

zine" in September, 1829,

described as a translation just

received from a gentleman in

Canada of a boatman's song in

Gaelic which he had heard on the

St. Lawrence. The manuscript

was in Lockhart's handwriting.

Now Lockhart, though in 1829 he

was a sadder and wiser man than

in the days of his first dealing

with "Blackwood's," was quite

capable of a literary hoax, and

certainly in 1829 the song had

been long in Scotland. A copy of

it has been found in the writing of

the twelfth Lord Eglinton, who

died in 1819. The conclusion is

not that he wrote it—he was a

peer of musical tastes, who played

the cello and composed many

popular airs—but that Lockhart

did not get it as he pretended, and

that it was written at least more

than ten years before its publica-

tion. It has been ascribed to the

novelist Galt for the inadequate

reasons that he wrote poetry and

lived in Canada, to Wilson, to

Hogg, and to Lockhart himself.

Lockhart seems to have denied

paternity, but the evidence is not

clear. No cause can be found for

imputing it to Hogg or Wilson but

that both were poets in different

degrees, and both contributed to

"Blackwood's." "From the lone

shieling on the misty island" is

not in the least like either.

Lord Francis Hervey's argu-

ment is that the poet must have

been a Scotsman, "that very few

Scotsmen in the early years of the

nineteenth century were capable

of producing a poem of such

transcendent merit," and that one

of those very few did in 1814 visit

the "misty islands" of the few

Hebrides, interest himself in the

"banishing" of the clansmen

John Gibson Lockhart.

Too oft shall the notes of Mac-

Krimmon's bewailing

Be heard when the Gael on their

exile are sailing

with

We ne'er shall tread the fancy-

haunted valley.

Where, 'twixt the dark hills

creeps the small clear

stream.

Did the man who wrote the first

write the second? It is not only

a matter of style. Scott had no

more illusions than that other

good Tory, Johnson, about High-

land, landlords. But was he the

man to put in a ballad poem of a

degenerate lord? We cannot

think that sound criticism will

accept the attribution to Scott.

Who, then, did write it? We

have little doubt that the hand of

Lockhart is in it. The rhythms,

the peculiar tone of sombre cour-

age, are much in his way. But we

cannot think he would have let

the last two rhetorical stanzas

about the "degenerate lord" and

"foreign rage" and "discord burst

in slaughter" come from his pen.

The best guess seems to be that

this "Boat Song" we have the

verses of an unknown, probably

"single-song" poet, worked over

by an editor who had something

like genius, and whose name was

John Gibson Lockhart.

SPLENDID DERBY.

(Continued from Page 1.)

10.—The "Black Rock" Stakes.—Winner \$600. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China ponies bona fide griffins of this meeting. (W.I.) Winners of one race other than a race confined to subscription griffins, 5 lbs., of two or more races 7 lbs. extra. Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Quarter.

Mr. R. M. Austin's Brigade Call, 153 lbs. (Mr. Maitland) 1.
Sir Paul's Fantastic Duhlia, 153 lbs. (Mr. Moller) 1.
Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton's San Diego, 153 lbs. (Mr. Dallas) 3.
Mrs. G. L. Bagram's Sunburst Rose, 152 lbs. (Mr. McBain) 4.
Messrs. Toeg and Priestley's Invader, 155 lbs. (Mr. Sokoloff) 0.
• Dead heat, 2 lengths.
Time: 2.44 2/5.
Part-mutuel:—
Winners:—
Fantastic Duhlia \$ 3.30
Brigade Call 10.00
Places:—
Fantastic Duhlia \$ 0.50
Brigade Call 10.00

11.—The Gymkhana Stakes.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For all China ponies that have started for races in at least two extra meetings during the season 1925 and subscription griffins of this meeting. Weight 145 lbs. • Winners of any race other than a race confined to subscription griffins 7 lbs.; of a subscription griffins race 2 lbs. extra. Subscription griffins of this meeting allowed 7 lbs. Winners at this meeting barred. (J.A.) Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton's Winner, 146 lbs. (Mr. Dallas) 1.
Messrs. Dyer and Beith's Rothsay, 153 lbs. (Lt. Com. Thompson) 2.
Mrs. R. M. Austin's Grey Streak, 153 lbs. (Mr. Pollock) 3.
Mr. John Peel's Lotus River, 144 lbs. (Mr. Dupree) 4.
Messrs. Albert and Arnold's Conquistador, 142 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 0.

Mr. John Peel's Dragon River, 145 lbs. (Mr. Gordon) 0.
1 1/4 lengths, 2 1/4 lengths.
Time: 2.07 4/5.
Part-mutuel:—
Winner \$22.50.
Places: 1st \$5.20; 2nd \$5.40; 3rd \$5.70.

LATE RETURNS.

SHARES IN SWATOW LACE CO., LTD.

TECHNICAL OMISSION.

Permission to file returns of allotment of shares in the Swatow Lace Co., Ltd., after the scheduled six weeks had elapsed was granted in the Supreme Court this morning on the application of Mr. H. S. Fitzroy, appearing for the Company.

Mr. Fitzroy stated that the Company was a private one, founded in November, 1924, and dealings of shares were restricted by articles of association. Its capital of \$50,000 was divided into 100 shares of \$500 each and it was in respect of 33 of these shares that the application was made.

In the absence from the Colony of the one who usually looked after the affairs, allotment of these shares had been made and the deputy had not understood the liabilities with regard to registering the allotment.

Extension of time was granted until the end of the week.

HILLSIDE DEATH.

BODIES OF MOTHER AND CHILD FOUND.

POKFULAM DISCOVERY.

A mystery attending the disappearance of a Chinese woman and a child on February 17 was solved yesterday when the bodies were found on the hillside at Pokfulam.

The woman was lying on her back with the child underneath her. It is thought that he was sitting with the child strapped to her back when she fell back and died. There were no marks of violence on the body.

A Chinese attempted to commit suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a chisel. He was taken to the Kowloon Hospital.

LEAGUE COUNCIL.

SHEAF OF QUERIES IN THE COMMONS.

DOMINIONS VIEWS?

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1.

In the House of Commons the Marquess of Hartington (Conservative, West Dorsetshire) asked whether communications had been received from the Dominions expressing their views on the proposed increase in the permanent membership of the League of Nations Council?

Mr. L. S. Amery, Secretary of State for the Dominions, referred to Sir Austen Chamberlain's reply on February 17. He added that it was impossible to make a statement as to the nature of such communications which were of a confidential character.

Mr. J. H. Thomas (Labour, Derby) requested that the correspondence be submitted to the House before there was any debate.

Mr. Amery replied that he was not sure that he would be able to do so. He said that it would largely depend on the views of the Dominion Governments concerned. Mr. Thomas asked if it was not essential that the House should know exactly the Dominion viewpoint before the debate?

No reply was given. The anxiety of the members of the House of Commons on the League Council issue was reflected in questions by three Liberals and one Conservative asking whether a decision had been reached in regard to the instructions to Sir Austen Chamberlain at Geneva and whether the Dominions would be consulted before Great Britain was committed to any change?

Mr. Stanley Baldwin (Prime Minister) in a joint reply requested the House to wait a statement which he hoped to make later in the week, probably on Thursday. Mr. J. Ramsay MacDonald (Labour leader) requested a statement on Wednesday.

The Prime Minister promised to do his best.

DEBATE POSSIBLE.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, March 1.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister, announced in the House of Commons that he hoped to be able to make a statement on Thursday, or perhaps Wednesday, regarding the instructions to be given to the British delegates to the League of Nations Council on the question of the enlargement of the Council beyond the admission of Germany.

A number of questions was addressed to him on the subject, and he requested that these should be postponed until he was able to make his statement. If, on consideration, it should be thought desirable to have a brief discussion on that statement, the opportunity of doing so would be given.

Saar Commission.

The attention of Sir Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, was called to the fact that the agenda of the League Council has been arranged so that the question of the Saar Commission will be brought up first before Germany has been admitted to the League.

Sir A. Chamberlain was asked whether the Government would endeavour to secure that a matter so closely concerning German interests should be postponed until Germany can be represented?

Sir A. Chamberlain replied that it was the usual practice of the Council to decide matters relating to its procedure, and he had been unable to anticipate the Council's decision on this occasion. As to obtaining a postponement of the Saar question he did not think that the interests of peace and international understanding were served by members of individual Governments saying what they would or would not do at a meeting of that great world Council—the Council of the League—and he did not see how an agreed decision could ever be reached if any Government announced its policy beforehand and was unwilling to make concessions.

SOUND ARGUMENTS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, addressing the League of Nations Parliamentary Committee which recon-

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BOLSHEVISTS BUSY.

FOMENTING STRIKES IN THE STRAITS.

MASTER TAILORS' PETITION.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1.

In the House of Commons, Mr. F. C. Penny (Conservative, Kingston-on-Thames) asked whether Cantonese Bolshevists elements in the Straits Settlements were engaging in propaganda and fomenting strikes, and whether the Chinese master-tailors in Singapore had petitioned the Governor (Sir Laurence Guillemard) to have the Tailors' Guild broken up and the ring-leaders deported?

Mr. L. S. Amery, Secretary of State for the Colonies, stated that the recent strikes had been economic. The reply to the second part of the question was in the affirmative, but the Governor had reported that the master tailors had not produced evidence in support of their allegations, consequently the deportations had not been effected. He declared that the Straits Government was closely watching the situation.

FRENCH FINANCE.

COMPROMISE BY CHAMBER COMMITTEE.

WILL GOVERNMENT ACCEPT?

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, March 1.

The Finance Committee of the Chamber of Deputies, in discussing the financial proposals voted by the Senate, rejected the rate proposed in the Senate Finance Bill for the payments tax, but it intends to propose to the Government a reduction in the rate of this tax which, with other taxes adopted by the Chamber Committee, would make up the 4 1/2 milliards required.

It remains to be seen whether the Government will accept the proposed compromise.

FOR ROME.

CHAO HSIN-CHU LEAVES LONDON.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1.

Mr. Chao Hsin-chu and Madame Chao Hsin-chu have departed for Geneva en route to Rome, where Mr. Chao Hsin-chu will take up the post of Chinese Minister to Italy.

ly adopted unanimously a resolution urging the Government strenuously to oppose the proposal to make fundamental changes in the constitution of the Council of the League, reiterated that the Government had not yet decided its course. He declared that there was a real case for consideration on the composition of the Council. The demand that the practice of re-electing non-permanent members year after year should be abandoned was growing. He was immovably opposed to the suggestion that any State should be brought on the Council as a counterpoise to Germany, but there was a sound argument for increasing the permanent membership since under the Locarno Agreement possibly Germany and all the present permanent members, except Japan, would be regarded as interested parties and therefore unable to vote if a dispute under the Locarno Treaty were submitted to the Council.

The Real Test.

The question of how the Council could be made most effective for the maintenance of peace and conciliation was the real test. That ought to be applied not to any counting of votes in a body where, unless there was unanimity, there could be no decision.

Sir A. Chamberlain contended that if on great questions the British representatives were required to define their attitude unequivocally beforehand, the delegates of other Governments would be forced in the same position, and paralysis would result owing to one State voting one solution and another State voting another solution.

The only way to keep the door open for conciliatory negotiation was to avoid irrevocable commitments on the part of any delegate in advance. He hoped that complete harmony might be achieved through the preliminary conversations in the Locarno manner with the German delegates at Geneva. A variety of possible solutions suggested themselves, and all that he asked was not to be expected to go to Geneva with his hands tied.

LONDON STRIKE.

PRINTING MACHINE WORKERS ADAMANT.

LOOK OUT NOW, NEARER.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1.

The engineering look-out has been brought a step nearer owing to a meeting of the strikers of the London firm of printing machine manufacturers, Robert Hoe & Co., which are the origin of the dispute, reaffirming their decision not to return to work.

Their attitude will be further discussed at a joint meeting of the Executives of the seven Unions involved when efforts will be made to avert a stoppage.

A paragraph published in our columns on Saturday stated: The Engineering and Allied Employers' National Federation has decided to post lock-out notices on March 5, to be operative on March 13, in all federated establishments in consequence of a strike by a section of London engineers and labourers over wages and a refusal to work with non-Unionists. The Engineering Union refuses to recognise the strikers' action.

WAR DEBTS.

FRENCH MINISTER FOR LONDON.

LAST YEAR'S BARGAIN.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, March 1.

It is expected that the French Minister of Finance, M. Doumer, will come to London next week to take up the negotiations with the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Winston Churchill, regarding France's war debt to Great Britain.

The provisional agreement reached in last year's discussion between M. Caillaux (then French Minister of Finance) and Mr. Winston Churchill was on the basis of an average annual payment of \$12,000,000.

Replying to a question on the French debt in the House of Commons last Thursday Mr. Winston Churchill said that the British Government regarded the bargain made with M. Caillaux as binding on both parties.

INDIA'S BUDGET.

REVENUE SLIGHTLY HIGHER THAN EXPENDITURE.

NO FRESH TAXATION.

(Reuter's Service.)

Delhi, March 1.

The Budget was presented in the Assembly to-day. It shows that the revenue for the past financial year was 181.35 crores of rupees and the expenditure 180.05 crores of rupees.

The Estimates for next year show the revenue to be 183.43 crores and the expenditure 180.38 crores.

There will be no fresh taxation. The repeal of the cotton excise duty would cost the Government 175 lakhs (a lakh equals 1,00,000 rupees).

FOREIGN POLICY.

ON IMPERIAL CONFERENCE AGENDA.

LOCARNO SEQUEL.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, March 1.

Mr. L. S. Amery, Secretary of State for the Dominions and Colonies, was questioned in the House of Commons to-day regarding the agenda of the Imperial Conference which is to be held in London next October.

He replied that it was contemplated that there should be a discussion on questions of foreign policy and defence, including those arising out of the Locarno Treaty, and also of economic matters.

WAR GRAVES.

EXPENSES OF THE IMPERIAL COMMISSION.

FIVE MILLIONS WANTED.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, March 1.

In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Ronald F. McNeill, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, in moving a vote of £48,700 for salaries and expenses of the Imperial War Graves Commission, explained that last Summer all the Governments of the British Empire, including that of British India, had agreed to accumulate a fund until it should reach a capital sum which would provide in perpetuity an income sufficient to maintain the British war cemeteries in the different parts of the world in the manner that the nation desired that they should be.

It was estimated that the annual sum necessary would be from £200,000 to £250,000. It was in order to provide this country's first contribution that the Government asked the House to vote £50,000, less some small savings, for the purpose this year, and to vote the same sum for the next two years.

It was hoped that, at the end of 15 years, by the accumulation of the interest on these grants, with the contributions which would come from the Dominion Governments, the sum of £5,000,000 would be obtained.

The vote was adopted.

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ENTOMOLOGICAL COLLECTION SALVAGED.

ESCAPED FIRE.

A box of insects and butterflies which escaped the ravages of the fire at the Hongkong Hotel has yet to find an owner.

Application should be made at the office of the Secretary of the Hotel.

LABOUR MEETING.

REPRESENTATION OF INDIA.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, March 1.

Lord Winterton, Under-Secretary of State for India, announced in the House of Commons to-day that it was the intention of the Government of India to nominate an Indian to represent India at the eighth and ninth sessions of the International Labour Conference at Geneva on May 26 and June 9.

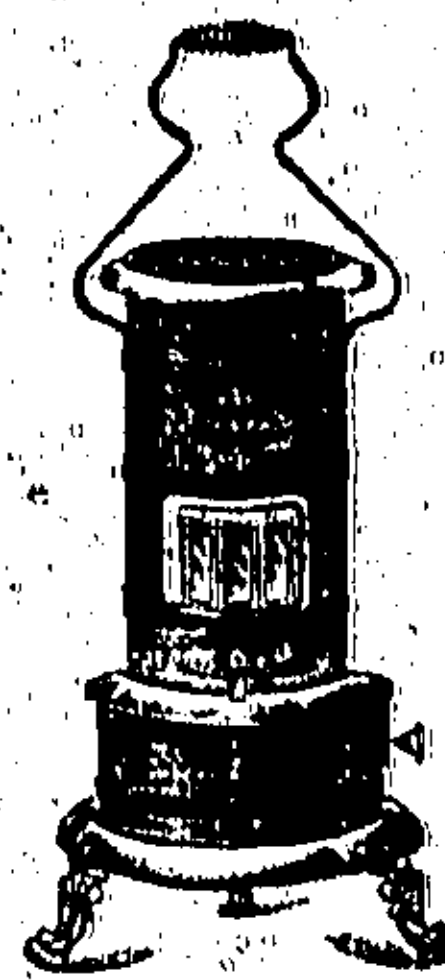
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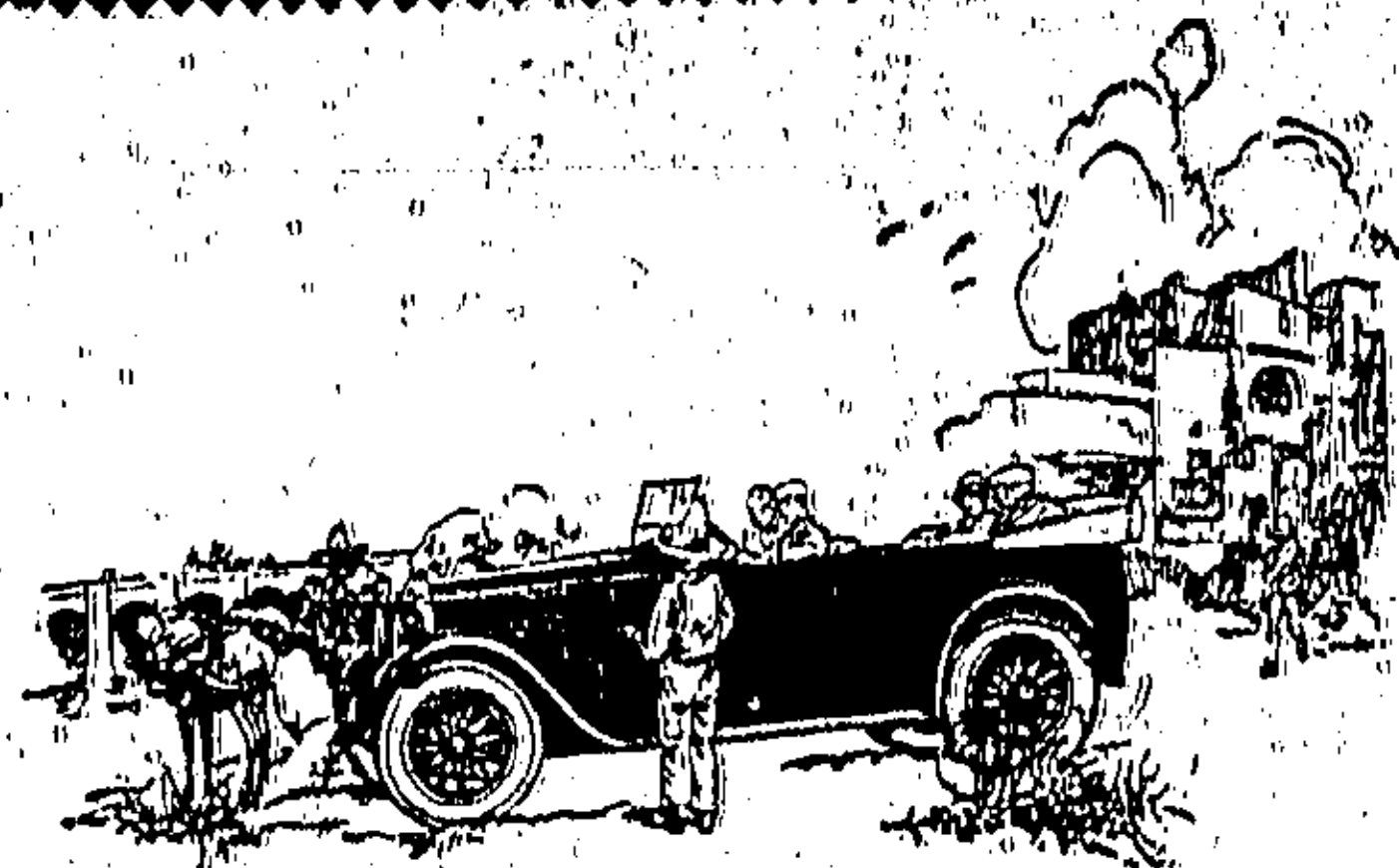
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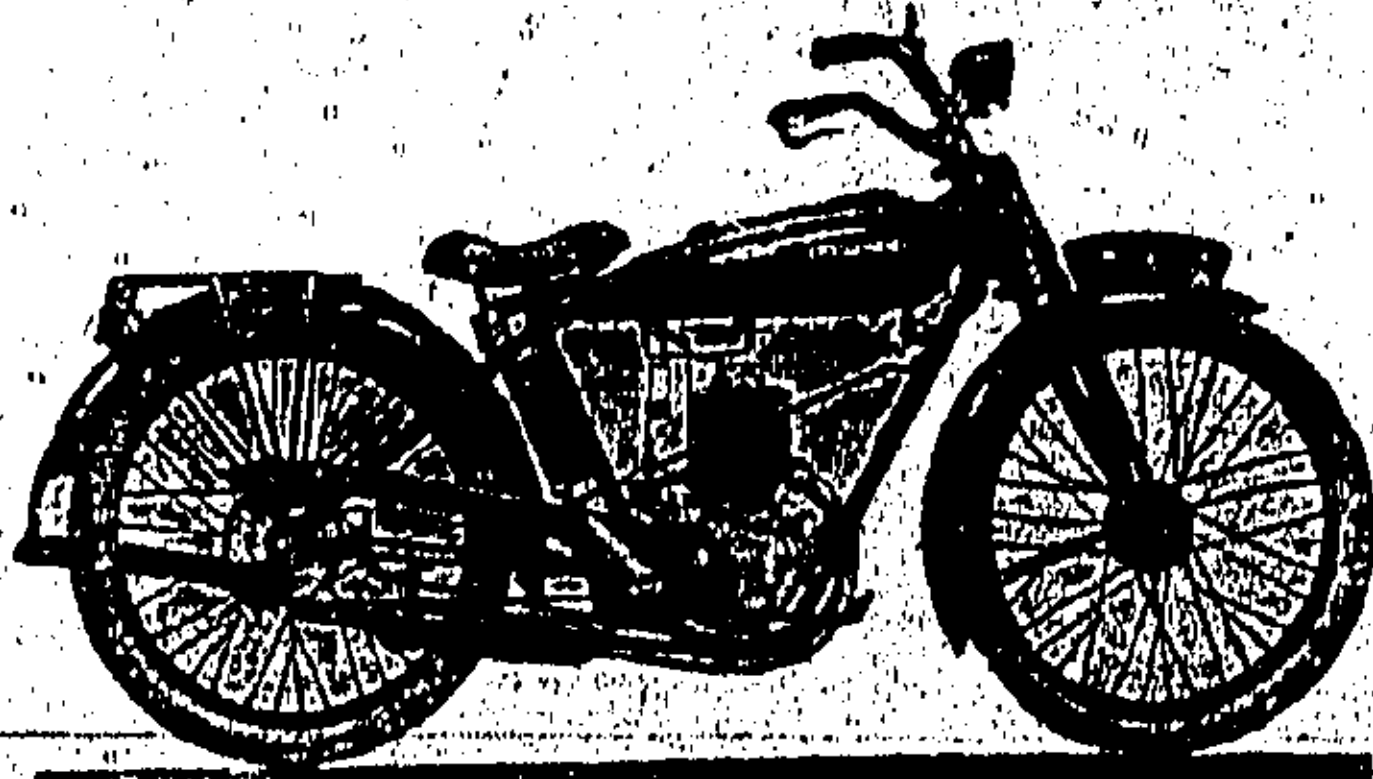
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The Annual General Meeting
of the Mid Levels Residents' As-
sociation, will be held at The
Ladies' Recreation Club, Park
Road, on Tuesday, the 9th March,
1926, at 6.30 p.m. precisely.

By arrangement with the
Police, drivers of trams have
been instructed to ignore the fol-
lowing stopping places on Praya
East between the hours of 11.00
a.m. and 7 p.m. on the 4 "Race
Days"—Gresson Street, Tai Yuen
Street and Huard Street.

The police have received re-
ports of two small burglaries
occurring over the week-end. In
one case the accountant at the
San Kee shop, 32, Wing On
Street, reports that the premises
were entered on the Sunday
night, and woollen cloth, valued
at \$244, stolen. Investigation by
the police of the robbery which
took place at the premises of
Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, shows
that the thieves gained entrance
by forcing a window at the rear.
Drawers were forced open, and a
safe tampered with, but the
thieves managed to get away
with only \$15 in money, and three
Waterman fountain pens, valued
at \$2 each.

A. P. Moller, Steamship owner,
was yesterday held by Mr. Justice
Wood to have failed in his claim
of \$99.99 in respect of commission
drawn by Thomson and Co., Ltd.,
Imports and Export Merchants, of
Queen's Building, acting as his
agent. It had been the claim of
the plaintiffs that the terms of a
cabled contract for the agency did
not specify commission on freight
collected but the defendants held
that such was established custom
and they had acted within their
rights. Mr. Justice Wood, quoted
law judgments that in order to ex-
clude evidence of usage, it must be
shown that the usage in question
was "of a particular which is re-
pugnant to, or inconsistent with,
the written contract." In his view
this was not so. Plaintiffs would
have to pay costs of issue.

The speeding-up of the London
trams has saved 230 cars since
1914, representing a saving of
£700,000.

Five employees of the
Turkey Paper Mill, Maidstone,
who have served for 50 or more
years, have each received a cheque
for £50.

A prospectus has been issued
of the Kobe and Osaka Press,
Limited, which is to acquire and
extend the business of the "Kobe
Herald" and the Far Eastern
Advertising Agency. The pro-
prietor of the "Herald" is to re-
ceive ¥10,000 in fully paid-up
shares in the new company, and
¥15,000 in cash, and the proprie-
tor of the Far Eastern Advertis-
ing Agency is to receive ¥20,000
in fully paid-up shares, and
¥20,000 in cash. The capital is to
be ¥100,000, so that ¥80,000 is to
be actually subscribed, and of this
sum ¥45,000 will be available for
expansion. The present proprie-
tors are to remain with the com-
pany, the one as Editor and the
other as Managing Director. The
new company hopes to start
business as from March 1926.

Dr. Henry Guppy, head of
the Rylands Library, has been
correcting some widely held
erroneous impressions as to the
number of books available to
readers during the early Middle
Ages. He points out "that print-
ing reached its high-watermark of
excellence in Venice in 1471;
that between the years 1450
and 1600 15,000,000 copies of
books were printed in Europe;
that a small quarto, issued by
Aldus and containing the whole of
Virgil, could be bought for the
equivalent of a present-day half-
crown." A newspaper columnist,
commenting on Dr. Guppy's dis-
closures, says: "One would like to
think that the output of the
twentieth century had improved
in quality as much as it has in
quantity; but we have no
optimists left of the type of Henry
Labouchere, who welcomed Bohn's
translations on the ground that
they showed what feeble stuff the
classics were."

Three new wireless masts,
each 500 feet high, were hurled to
the ground in a storm at Nord-
deich, Germany.

Mansfield has over 8,000
school children, each of whom was
asked to contribute one potato to
help the local hospital.

During December last 4,869,
000 bottles of champagne were
sent from the Marne district and
2,000,000 bottles were exported.

Presented by Prince Taka Tsu
Kasa, F.Z.S., of Tokyo, a pair of
Japanese apes—Toki and Yosan—
have just arrived at the London
Zoo.

Presented by the White Star
Line to a church at Forrester
Falls, Ontario, the bell of the
Canopic (now being broken up) is
on its way to Canada in the
"Meganitic."

"In New York, people of
every race and faith as well as
the unbelievers, are uniting to
build the Cathedral of St. John
the Divine at a cost of fifteen
millions of dollars," says an
American journal.

John Galsworthy has picked his
choice of the greatest American
newspaper headline. Lecturing
on "Expression" before a London
audience, the famous novelist
said that, for better or worse, the
future of English as a living
thing was in the hands of the
newspaper writers and he cited as
the most extraordinary example
he had ever seen of what they
could do, the headline in an
American newspaper when Robert
Bridges, the English Poet
Laureate, refused to be inter-
viewed in New York. The head-
line said:

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medicine. Have you a bottle of it in
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Lord Darling has been "shot"
by a film camera.

Mrs. F. J. Dickie and children
are due shortly in the Colony.

Mr. J. R. Johnstone left for the
north by the "President Taft" on
Saturday.

Mr. W. K. Ediss, aged 82,
of Newport (Isle of Wight), has just
completed 60 years' membership of
the choir at St. Thomas's Church.

A girl of ten years is said to
have held the audience at the
Metropolitan Opera House spell-
bound in a performance of
Rigoletto.

Mr. John Robinson, of Edmund
Road, Sheffield, who has
reached his 105th birthday, belongs
to a long-lived family, his sister
having lived to 103.

Miss M. C. Bedford, Mrs. A.
Paterson and Mr. W. Paterson of
Hongkong were enrolled as mem-
bers of the Overseas League in
November.

Mr. John Galsworthy has not
yet said farewell to the family of
Forsyte. Members of this interest-
ing race figure in his new novel,
"The Silver Spoon," which Messrs.
Heinemann are to publish in the
spring.

Mr. J. M. Pennycook, who is
going home on leave early in
March, has resigned the hon-
orary secretaryship of the Penang Swim-
ming Club as from January 31. Mr.
W. H. Gladwell has been elected in
his place.

Lord Bessy is, after all, to stay
for some time longer in his pos-
sion of First Sea Lord of the Ad-
miralty. He has already gone be-
yond the normal period for which
the post is held, but is to continue
for some months more, and will
probably not retire until next
autumn.

A poem composed by a 17-year-
old young man has been included
into the selected poems in the Im-
perial New Year's Poetry Contest.
The young man is an employee of
Mr. Fujisake Kudo, proprietor of
the Kuno Sake Brewery Company,
at Oukamachi, Aichi prefecture.
The name of the young man is
Takuro Kataoka.

Miss Aiko Ito, daughter of
Prince Ito, is engaged to marry Mr.
Ken-ichi Nagatomi, son of Mr.
Yukichi Nagatomi, who was former-
ly vice-president of the Nippon
Gusen Kaisha. The bridegroom-
elect is a graduate of the Tokyo
Higher Technical School and re-
cently returned to Tokyo from
England where he studied for two
years.

On the occasion of the
Coronation in Bangkok Her
Majesty the Queen of Siam will
formally have conferred on
her in accordance with ancient
royal custom, her new style and
title of Somdech Phra Borom
Rajini. This ceremony was to take
place on February 25. Her Majesty
is now Mom Chao Xing Rambai
Barni Phra Vararaja Jaya, and
she will become, Somdech Phra
Nang Chao Rambai Barni Phra
Borom Rajini. The ceremony of
engraving Her Majesty's style and
title on a gold tablet was to have
taken place on Wednesday in
the temple of the Emerald Buddha.

The Begum of Bhopal has been
learning handicrafts in London to
fit herself to teach them to her
women subjects on her return to
India.

Mr. William Walker, of Headon
Terrace, Nottingham, celebrated
his 104th birthday by having a
breakfast of bread and milk and
bacon, and a dinner of roast pork.

That popular novelist, Mr.
Robert Keable, has gone back to
live in the Pacific island of Tahiti,
and is engaged on another novel
of life in the South Seas.

In his retirement, M. Clemenceau
is busy with more than one literary
project. Apart from his essays on
the life of Demosthenes, he has
now written a large book to be
published in four volumes, em-
bodying his philosophy of life. It
is not likely to see the light until
another year has passed.



Consuela Vanderbilt, daughter of
W. K. Vanderbilt II, spent her
honeymoon at Palm Beach after her
marriage to Earl T. L. Smith.

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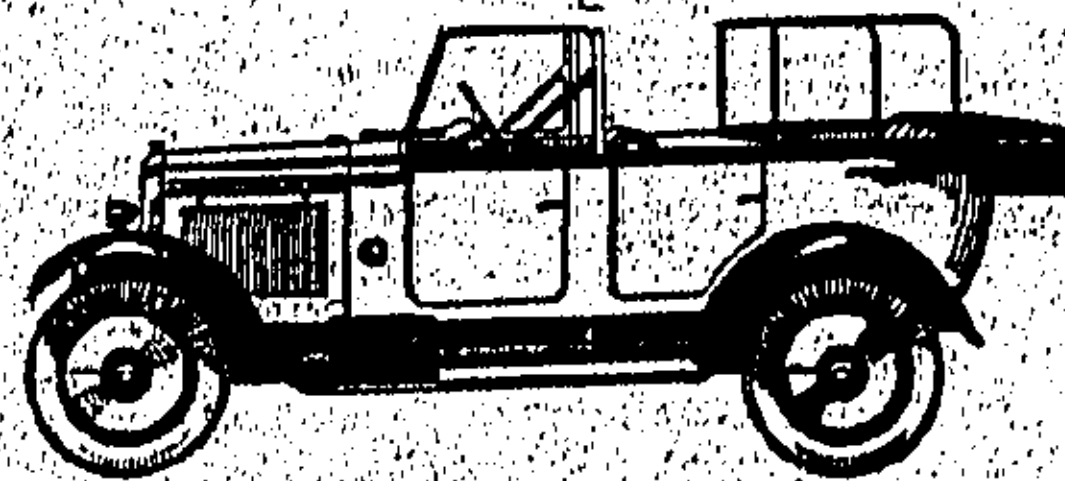
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CHINESE CLUB.

1. Folly	17190
2. Brigade Call	08995
3. Home Call	10490
4. Sunburst Rose	13970
5. Grey Steel	03248
6. Fireworks	15587
7. Elm Leaf	10856
8. Bay of Bellingham	16148
9. Boston	14690
10. Tacoma	16634
11. San Diego	01438
12. Total Abstinence	07148
13. Rechabite	04488
14. King of Troy	12307
15. King of England	13267
16. Dobbin	14096
17. Glorious Dahlia	10043
18. Sunbeam Dahlia	00741
19. Stalwart Dahlia	00438
20. Fantastic Dahlia	02027
21. Lady Love	07206
22. Prince Charming	15345
23. Craigavon	14718
24. Cultra	14083
25. Donaghadee	02030
26. Saucy Sue	07161
27. Pretty Polly	12025

COMPRADORES' ASSOCIATION.

1. Folly	09817
2. Brigade Call	01517
3. Home Call	08938
4. Sunburst Rose	09060
5. Grey Steel	04324
6. Fireworks	08410
7. Elm Leaf	03927
8. Bay of Bellingham	08715
9. Boston	01941
10. Tacoma	02348
11. San Diego	06355
12. Total Abstinence	02552
13. Rechabite	07470
14. King of Troy	00926
15. King of England	09800
16. Dobbin	01584
17. Glorious Dahlia	00235
18. Sunbeam Dahlia	07583
19. Stalwart Dahlia	06699
20. Fantastic Dahlia	09583
21. Lady Love	03292
22. Prince Charming	07596
23. Craigavon	00560
24. Cultra	09309
25. Donaghadee	09135
26. Saucy Sue	08108
27. Pretty Polly	08510

THE TSUNG TSIN ASSOCIATION.

1. Folly	09883
2. Brigade Call	02240
3. Home Call	06848
4. Sunburst Rose	00520
5. Grey Steel	00680
6. Fireworks	10183
7. Elm Leaf	03920
8. Bay of Bellingham	01339
9. Boston	10551
10. Tacoma	03128
11. San Diego	16972
12. Total Abstinence	02965
13. Rechabite	12029
14. King of Troy	14078
15. King of England	15444
16. Dobbin	02960
17. Glorious Dahlia	11369
18. Sunbeam Dahlia	13982
19. Stalwart Dahlia	11751
20. Fantastic Dahlia	10719
21. Lady Love	10060
22. Prince Charming	13835
23. Craigavon	06200
24. Cultra	02485
25. Donaghadee	11370
26. Saucy Sue	19025
27. Pretty Polly	04435

THE CHIN WOO ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

1. Folly	0027
2. Brigade Call	3170
3. Home Call	0818
4. Sunburst Rose	8745
5. Grey Steel	0568
6. Fireworks	2407
7. Elm Leaf	7244
8. Bay of Bellingham	0108
9. Boston	8522
10. Tacoma	5837
11. San Diego	0608
12. Total Abstinence	4401
13. Rechabite	3901
14. King of Troy	8714
15. King of England	5170
16. Dobbin	9336
17. Glorious Dahlia	6292
18. Sunbeam Dahlia	3969
19. Stalwart Dahlia	8249
20. Fantastic Dahlia	4833
21. Lady Love	4736
22. Prince Charming	1998
23. Craigavon	5271
24. Cultra	2009
25. Donaghadee	8208
26. Saucy Sue	5559
27. Pretty Polly	4724

MOVEMENT OF STEAMER.

The C.P.R. R.M.S. "Empress of Asia" is due here from Manila tomorrow at 10 a.m. and will berth at Pier 5, Kowloon Wharf. She will sail hence for Vancouver via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama on March 5 at noon.

STABLE FORM.

FIGURES FOR FIRST DAY'S RACES.

OWNERS & JOCKEYS.

Some people believe in following a stable and/or jockey in luck. Below is given the abstract of the results of Monday's races.

Winning Owners.

1st. 2nd. 3rd.	Winning Owners.
Messrs. Dyer and Beth	3 1 —
Mr. R. M. Austin	2 — —
Messrs. Toog and Priestley	2 — —
Sir Paul	1 8 —
Messrs. Hall and Shenton	1 1 —
Mr. Dynasty	1 1 —
Mr. B. D. F. Beth	1 — —
Messrs. Dunbar and Stanton	— — 2
Messrs. Beth and Lemarchand	— 1 1
Eady Chater	— 1 1
Mr. Dryadust	— 1 —
Mrs. R. J. Paterson	— 1 —
Mr. Bagram	— 1 —
Mr. Sha	— 2 —
Mr. R. J. Paterson	— 1 —
Mrs. Bernard	— 1 —
Mr. J. H. Taggart	— 1 —
Mr. Roda	— 1 —
Mr. L. Dunbar	— 1 —
Mrs. R. M. Austin	— 1 —

Winning Jockeys.

1st. 2nd. 3rd.	Winning Jockeys.
Lt. Com. Thompson	3 — —
Mr. Maitland	2 2 1
Mr. Pollock	2 1 1
Mr. Sokoloff	2 — —
Mr. McBein	1 4 —
Mr. Haimovitch	1 2 1
Mr. Dupres	— 1 2
Mr. Moller	— 1 —
Mr. Dallas	— 3 —
Mr. Brodie	— — 3

HOLIDAY CRICKET.

VOLUNTEERS LOSE TO THE ARMY.

INTERPORTER'S CENTURY.

In their first race week cricket match played at the Chinese Recreation Club ground, yesterday, the Volunteers were beaten by the Army by 97 runs.

The Army, batting first, made 250 for 8 (declared). Captain Morris (the interporter) contributed 121. He gave two chances, hitting a six and 21 fours. Captain Walters (86) scored 16 fours.

For the Volunteers, Ramsay made 87, giving two easy chances. Jax had several "lives" in his score of 18.

The Army.

C. Q. M. S. Stripp, c Lawrence,	9
b Lyal	9
S/S Walker, b Lyal	8
B. S. M. Page, c and b Ramsay	8
Major Hattersley-Smith, c	11
Evans, b Plummer	11
Capt. Morris, c Lammert, b	121
Lyal	121
Capt. Walters, c Ramsay, b	86
Lyal	86
Lt. Smith, c Mitchell, b Parker	0
Q. M. S. Moccock, c Plummer,	0
b Lyal	0
Spr. Goodyer, not out	2
Extras	5

Total (for 8 wks. dec.) 250
Pte. Burgess and Pte. Moore did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	Bowling Analysis.
23.8 6 02 5	Lyal
7 0 27 1	Ramsay
8 0 55 1	Plummer
2 0 17 0	Lammert
3 0 21 0	Mitchell
7 1 33 1	Parker

Volunteers.

H. C. Burgess, l.b.w. b Burgess	28
A. W. Ramsay, c Hattersley-Smith, b Smith	67
S. Jax, b Smith	18
F. E. Lawrence, b Moore	6
E. J. R. Mitchell, c Burgess, b Moore	0
J. C. Lyl, run out	0
H. V. Parker, c Hattersley-Smith, b Moore	1
A. A. Dand, c Burgess, b Moore	1
G. P. Lammert, c and b Moore	11
C. T. Evans, b Moore	11
J. A. H. Plummer, not out	1
Extras	10

Total 158

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.	Bowling Analysis.
2 0 11 0	Goodyer
14 8 34 2	Smith
9 0 37 0	Morris
4 0 19 1	Burgess
11 1 42 6	Moore

GOLF IN U.S.

VICTORY FOR TOURING PAIR.

(Newer's American Service.)

Bellairs (Ed.), March 1. In a 36-hole golf match, Archie Compton (Britain) and Arnold Massey (France) beat MacDonald Smith and Alec Smith (U.S.A.) by 5 up and 4 to play.

BOXING.

CHINA SQUADRON, FIRST DAY.

VARIOUS EVENTS.

At Murray Barracks yesterday, the China Squadron boxing tournament commenced and will be continued to-day and to-morrow. Results were:—

Championships.

Lights: Stoker Dora (L2) 130 beat Stoker Rowe (Magnolia) 134. Walters: Stoker Reynolds (L3) 145, K.O. A.B. Webb (Titanic) 146½ in round 2.

Officers.

Heavies: Pay Sub-Lt. Nixon (Vindictive) 168 beat Mid. Roger (Hawkins) 162.

Novices.

Feathers: A. B. Appleton (Iroquois) 124 beat Stoker Rowley (Hawkins) 123½. A.B. Rowe (Vindictive) 125 beat Boy Williams (Vindictive) 121. Boy Turner (Vindictive) 124½ beat Stoker Murphy (Vindictive) in round 2 (loser disqualified).

Lights: A.B. Broadhurst (Vindictive) 185½ beat A.B. Young (Hawkins) 185. Walters: Stoker Perkins (Vindictive) 141½, K.O. A. E. Smith (Vindictive) 188½ in round 1; A.B. Stowers (Vindictive) 143½ beat Marine Durn (Vindictive) 137 in round 4 (the extra round); Stoker Lenton (L15) 142 beat Tel. Taylor (L4) 136½ in round 1; Sig. Thomas (Durban) 141 beat Stoker Hunter (Despatch) 185½ in round 1; Sig. Syner (Tamar) 139 beat Sig. Thomas (Durban) 141.

Middles: Stoker Roberts (Vindictive) 158½ beat A. B. Flint (Despatch) 158½. A.B. Sanders (Hollyhook) 162 beat Marine Martin (Vindictive) 155 after an extra (4th) round; Sig. Marshall (Hawkins) 154½ beat Tel. Golding (L83) 152½.

[Doors open at 7.30 p.m., boxing starts 8 p.m.]

15-ROUND BOUT FIXED.

For the H.K.B.A. tournament at the Theatre Royal on March 20, Kid Alfred (Manila) will box a 15-rounds bout with Stoker Naegalin, the French bantam-weight of the "Jules Michelet."

BETTER TIME.

KOWLOON MARATHON RESULT.

Leading Seaman William Hobden of H.M.S. "Despatch," (second) in the Naval race on Saturday won the Kowloon Marathon yesterday in better time than the two previous years.

Out of 83 entrants, 22 started and 20 finished. Bandman Hannen, 1/4 East Surrey (last year's winner), had to halt three times owing to a "stitch" but finished fifth.

The winner practically led throughout, and the first three were never seriously challenged, the "field" being straggled out. Nine of the runners were from H.M.S. "Vindictive."

DETAILS.

Silver Cup, presented by Sir Paul Chater (Patron).—Won by Leading Seaman Wm. Hobden, H.M.S. "Despatch." Time: 84 minutes, 54 seconds.

Silver Cup, presented by Mr. R. M. Dyer.—Won by Gunner Newman, R.A. Time: 85 minutes, 26.45 seconds.

Silver Cup, presented by Mr. W. S. Bailey.—Won by Pte. R. Hestermann, (St. Andrew's Young Men's Club). Time: 87 minutes.

Start outside St. Andrew's Church (distance approximately 6¼ miles). Course along Nathan Road, past Kowloon mortuary to Kowloon City, then by way of Victoria Home through Hung Hom, along Chatham Road, into Nathan Road, by Middle Road, back to the Church.

The following were the officials:—Judges: Rev. G. R. Lindsay and Mr. P. Sands (Vice-Presidents); Starter: Mr. C. Whitley. Timekeepers: Messrs. Frank N. W. Doodha, Baldwin, and Bannister.

Motor-cars for officials and pressmen were lent by Captain Thomas, Messrs. R. S. Verette, J. M. Wong and J. H. Donni-thorne; Dr. G. W. Hollings gave material help.

The Rev. Mr. Lindsay congratulated the winners, and Mrs. G. E. Arrowsmith (wife of the Rev. Mr. Arrowsmith, President of St. Andrew's Club) gave away the trophies.

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BAD FINISHES.

HOW ENGLAND LOST AT SOCCER.

VICTORY FOR WALES.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1. Wales beat England at soccer by 8 goals to 1, at Selhurst Park.

The weather was dull; there were 20,000 spectators. Play in the first half was rather loose with neither side showing effective combination. Both goals had several narrow escapes.

Three minutes from the interval Fowler scored with a fast left foot shot from Cresswell's centre. At half time Wales led by a goal to nil.

After twelve minutes, Urwin placed the ball nicely for Walker to head through for England. Directly afterwards, W. Davies scored (for Wales) with a long left foot shot.

The third goal for Wales came after seventeen minutes, Fowler netting with Pym-out of goal.

For a long time the Welshmen were penned in their own quarters but the Englishmen, although they made determined efforts, finished their attacks badly and Wales won by 3-1.

The draw for the fourth round to be played on March 6 (home team given first) now stands:—Morton v. Rangers. St. Mirren v. Airdrieonians. Third Lanark v. Aberdeen. Celtic v. Dumbarton.

HOME SOCCER.

SCOTTISH F. A. CUP REPLAY.

MID-WEEK LEAGUE.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 1. Replaying in the third round of the Scottish F.A. Cup, Aberdeen beat St. Johnstone by a goal to nil. [The first two games ended 2-2 and 0-0.]

The draw for the fourth round to be played on March 6 (home team given first) now stands:—Morton v. Rangers. St. Mirren v. Airdrieonians. Third Lanark v. Aberdeen. Celtic v. Dumbarton.

League matches to-day resulted:—

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

DIVISION I.

Blackburn 3, Sheffield 1.

DIVISION II.

Wolverhampton 1, Darlington 0.

The respective tables now stand:—

Division I.

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Huddersfield	30	15	10	5	65	46	40
Sheff. Utd.	31	16	6	9	74	55	38
Sheff. Wed.	30	15	6	9	62	48	36
Sheff. Utd.	31	17	2	12	72	64	36
Sheff. Utd.	32	14	6	12	81	66	34
Sheff. Utd.	28	15	4	9	48	42	34
Sheff. Utd.	29	12	8	9	63	52	32
Sheff. Utd.	30	12	7	11	53	58	31
Sheff. Utd.	29	11	9	9	49	42	31
Sheff. Utd.	30	11	9	10	63	59	31
Sheff. Utd.	32	8	15	9	57	60	31
Sheff. Utd.	31	12	7	12	65	56	31
Sheff. Utd.	32	11	7	14	57	63	30
Sheff. Utd.	32	10	13	6	66	64	29
Sheff. Utd.	31	11	5	15	45	63	27
Sheff. Utd.	30	11	4	15	49	62	26
Sheff. Utd.	31	10	5	16	52	63	25
Sheff. Utd.	32	8	9	15	56	84	25
Sheff. Utd.	31	7	10	14	71	83	24
Sheff. Utd.	29	4	16	40	50	22	22

Division II.

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts.
Wednesd. Y.	30	20	3	7	70	37	43
Derby C.	30	18	6	6	62	31	42
Chelsea	30	15	9	6	63	36	39
South S.	30	15	4	10	56	42	34
Swansea	28	15	4	9	61	48	34
Middlebro'	30	12	0	15	62	54	34

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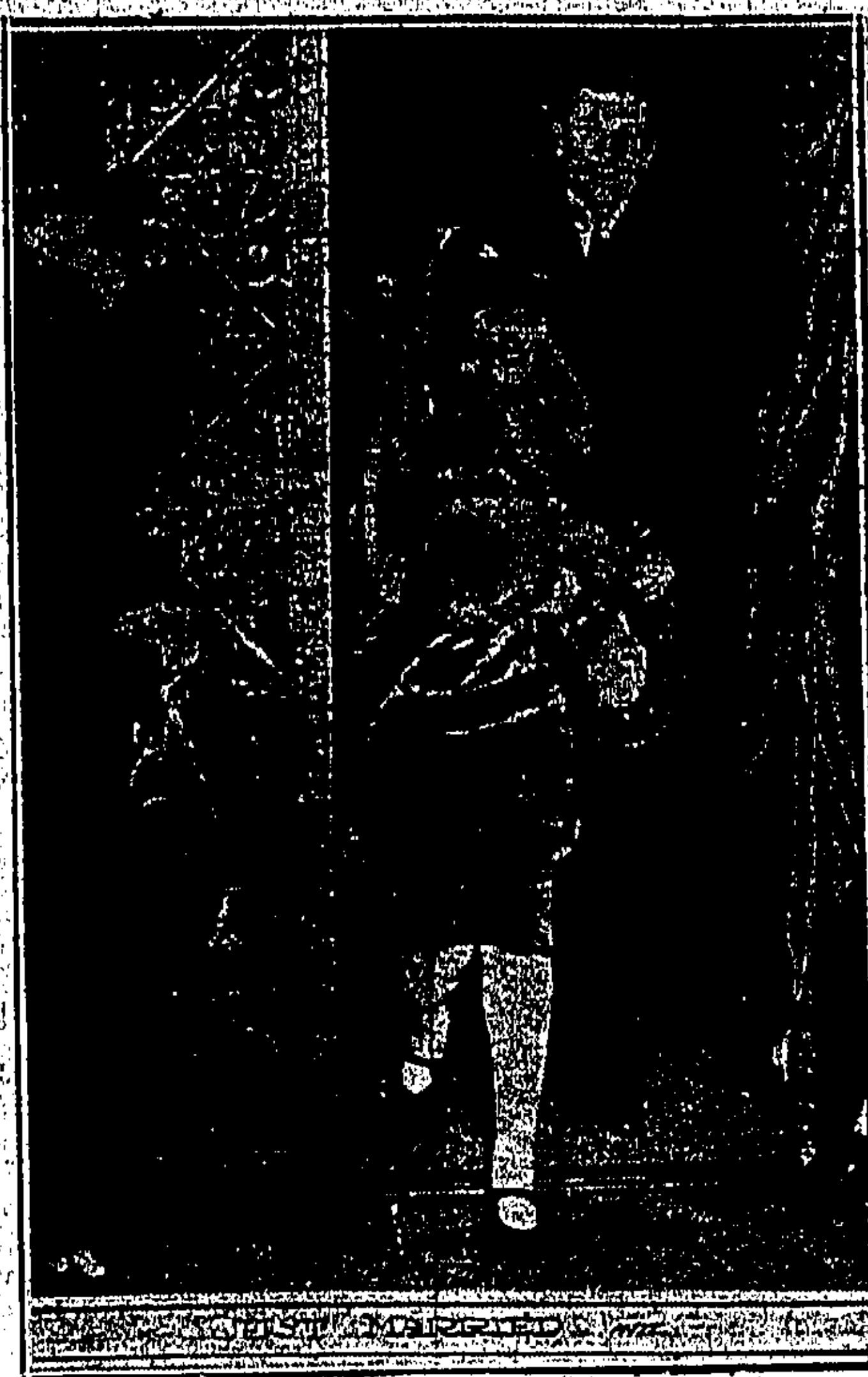
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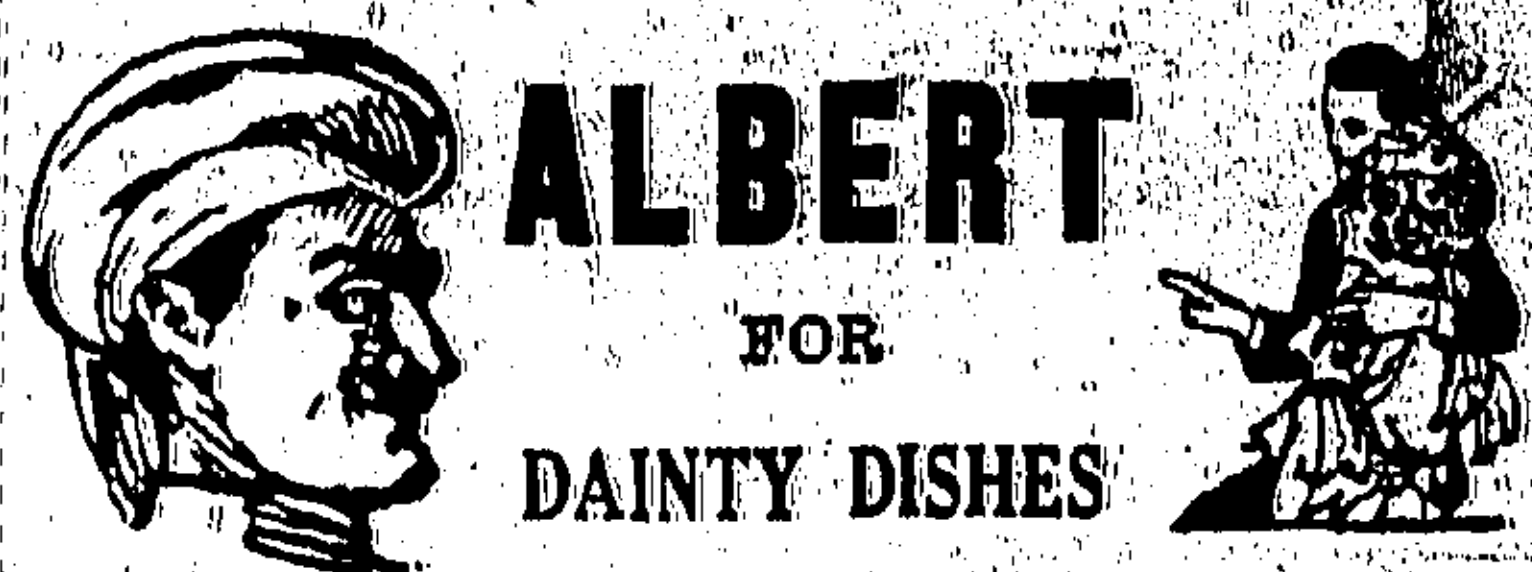
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Red-Haired Dolls.

Auburn hair is all the rage in the dolls' world this season, if one can judge from the lovely ladies on Mrs. Jellicoe's stall at the Englishwoman Exhibition, at the Central Hall (writes "Gadabout" in the "Daily Chronicle"). Almost every one of the quaint linen dolls that she makes had delightful silken wigs of a very brilliant chestnut. There was one exception, however, and that was "Snowdrop," an amusing all-white, woolly person, with an engaging round face. This cuddly creature is intended for the delight of the tiniest children, and should be a real joy to them.

Mr. George Robey's Record.

Mr. George Robey, the comedian, is the man who hasn't stayed at home, (says the "Daily Mail"). For more than 30 years he has never missed a performance at which he was advertised to appear. Mr. Robey made his 400th appearance in the 400th performance of "Leap Year" at the London Hippodrome on Monday evening. He played more than 800 times in the revue "Joy Bells" and more than 600 times in "Zig Zag." I am a sort of man-thing cannot keep out of the theatre whatever happens, Mr. Robey said to a reporter. There have been times when I have had colds, sprains, and even influenza, but I have always gone through my part. I follow the Chinese plan and consult my doctor when I am feeling perfectly fit, added Mr. Robey, who is 55. If you don't call in the doctor till you are ill how can you expect to keep well?

The King and Sandringham.

Sandringham will become more and more the King and Queen's home in the country. Their Majesties have decided to go there and take up their residence. The place is to be entirely repainted and redecorated in part, says a London "Evening News" writer. The King will have King Edward's room on the sunny south side facing the garden for his study, and the Queen will occupy a corner room beyond as her boudoir. One smaller room will be filled with relics of the late Queen Mother and photographs which she possessed and cherished. I was asking a friend of mine about the ways of Royal folk and the habits of those who dwell in castles. He replied that the simplicity of our King's life is Spartan; and designed and applied solely to the successful conduct of public business. He rises always early and always at the same time, and receives and works during the morning, meeting at luncheon the public personages whom he desires to consult. Then follows more work, usually outside, followed by a tea to which no one but relatives are ever invited.



Dharmapala, Avagathi Haurav-tana, seventy-five-year-old missionary from Ceylon, India, sailed for England to establish a mission for members of his race.

Marriages Made in Germany.

Margarethe Bernstein, whose real name is Frau Knipfert, has earned the title of "greatest matrimonial agent in the world" given to her by the German Press (states the "Evening Standard"). Three thousand marriages have been arranged through her agency, and she has just been celebrating the completion of that number. Judging by the enormous number of matrimonial advertisements in the German papers, marriage by agency must be popular in that country. One wonders why so many people are unable to find a husband or wife among their acquaintances.

The First Lady "M.F.H."

Who was the first lady "M.F.H."? (asks a "Daily Chronicle" writer.) A plausible claim can be made by that Lady Salisbury—a great-great grandmother of the present marquis—who kept a pack of foxhounds more than a century ago. That intrepid lady hunted her pack herself, and continued to do so until she was so old that she had to be tied to the saddle. She was burned to death in the fire which destroyed the west wing of Hatfield House in 1585. But South Britain has produced many great women riders, notably Lady "Jack" Villiers, who gave her name to a covert in the Vale of Aylesbury, and is the only lady who figures in the famous picture on the Queen Hunt.

Ex-Premier's Holiday.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald (says a "Star" writer) is contemplating a visit to America in the near future. Nothing definite has yet been arranged, but it is very likely that he will make the trip across the Atlantic. It will be entirely a holiday, and Mr. MacDonald, believe, has no intention of lecturing or making public speeches, although he has received tempting offers from the United States. The fact is that the ex-Premier badly needs a rest. It is certain that the Labour leader would get a very good reception from the American public.

Bobbed Hair—Unprofessional?

Far be it from me to venture into a discussion of the respective merits of bobbed, shingled, or long hair (remarks an "Evening Standard" writer). This is a matter on which controversy can easily destroy the oldest friendships. But I must say that I cannot understand the point of view of the Romford Board of Guardians, which decided against bobbed hair for nurses as "unprofessional." Whether it is, or is not, more "hygienic"—to use the expression of a protesting woman member—it is not necessarily either "frightful" or "frivolous," and it is not easy to see how the dignity or efficiency of nurses is affected by the length of their hair. And, after all, it is (or should be) a free country—for women as well as men.

Lone Loveliness.

In the course of a fourteen-mile walk, the other day, through Epping Forest (writes a correspondent for the "Morning Post"), I met six people only. Two were small boys picking blackberries in Fairmead; three were middle-aged ladies, near High Beech; and one a man in a bowler hat, who passed as in a dream. In the green and golden depths of Honey Lane, Quarters, Long Running, Genesis Slade, and the Epping Thicks I was alone for hours with shy deer, red squirrels, and jays. Only at the rare road crossings, by the inns, and approaching Epping Town did man reveal himself. Yet the sad Walthamstows and all the drab spots, served by the Great Eastern were within easy reach. "If we were charged so much a head for sunsets or if God sent round a drum before the hawthorn came in flower, what a work should we not make about their beauty!"

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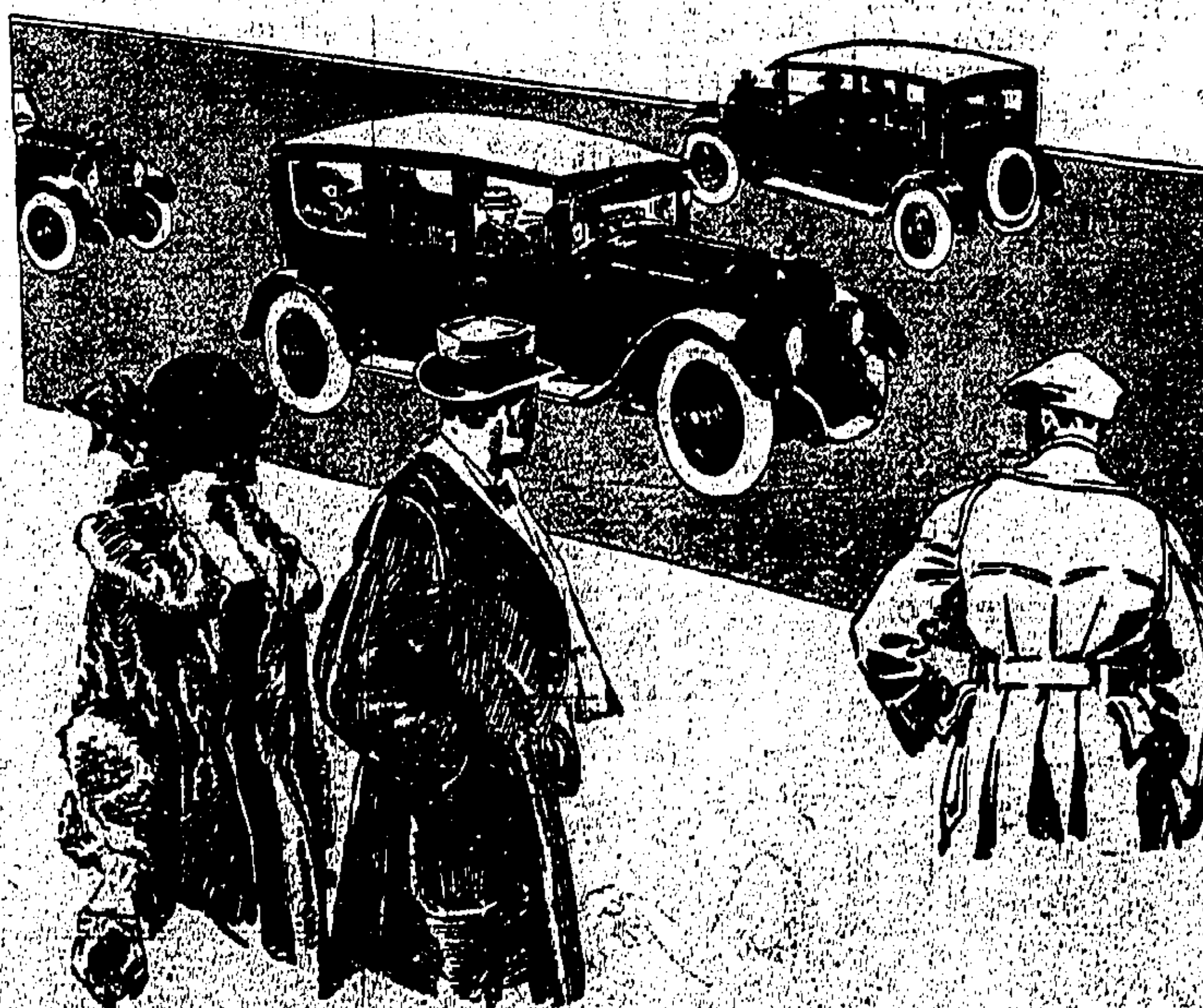
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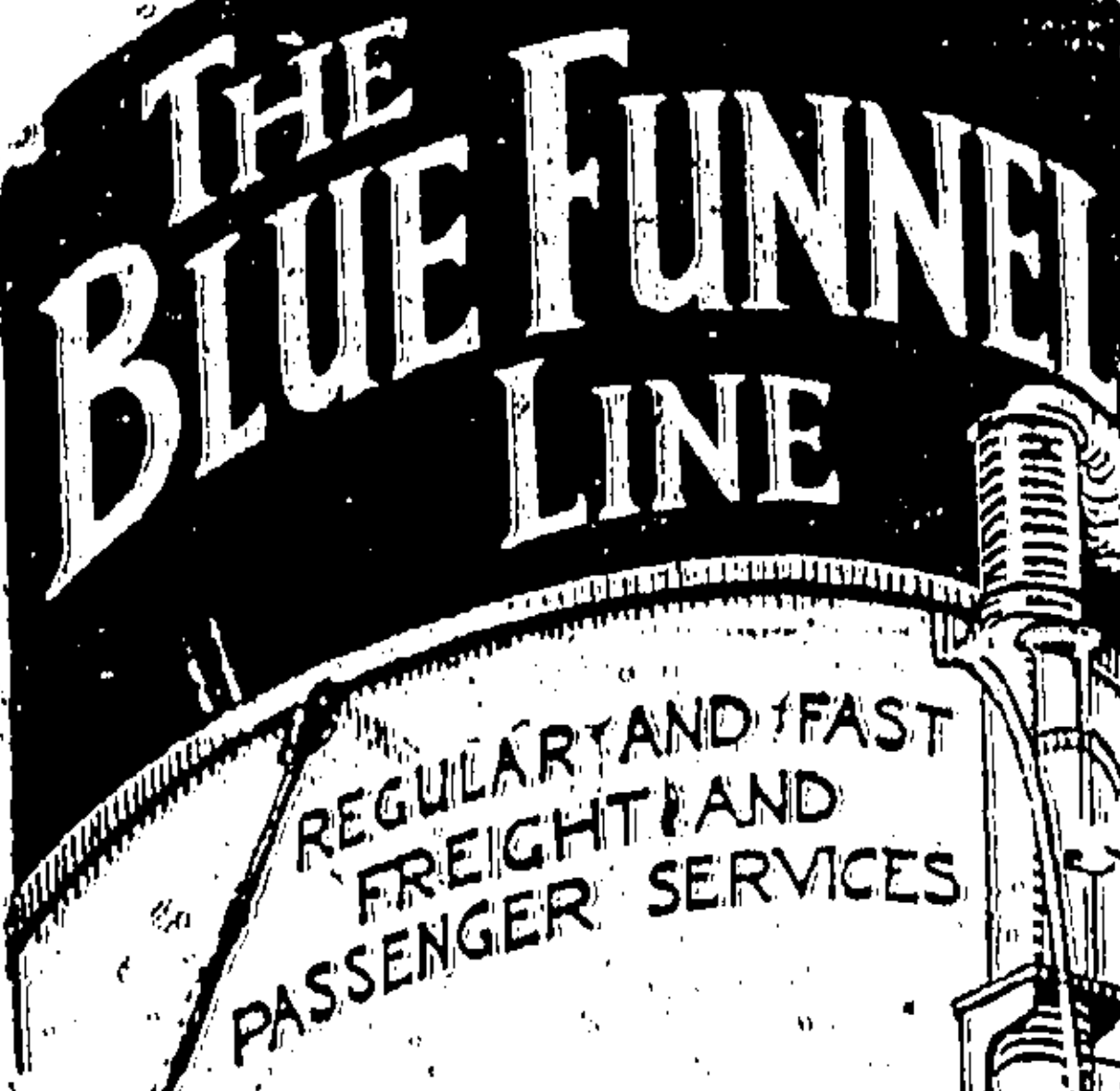
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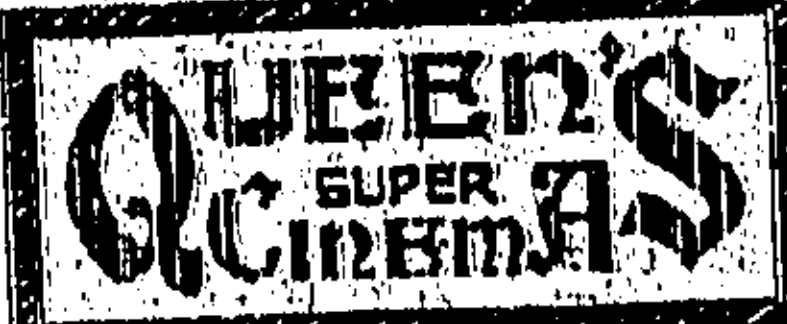
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